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TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS WERE HELD THRUOUT LEE CO. YESTERDAY

ANDERSON, M'CLEARY AND FISHER ARE SUCCESSFUL IN DIXON.

THERE WERE FEW CONTESTS

Shaulis Was Defeated in Race for Justice of the Peace—Election News from Other Towns.

SUPERVISORS ELECTED.

Alto—Morris Cook
Amboy—W. J. Edwards
Ashton—Chas. Heibenthal
Brooklyn—John W. Banks
China—C. Gross
Dixon—O. B. Anderson* and J. M. McCleary
Harmon—E. J. Mannion*
Nachusa—F. G. Emmert
Palmyra—John P. Drew
Reynolds—Chas. Ewald
Sublette—Wm. Rucker.
Wyoming—A. S. Wells
*New members.

Hold-Over Supervisors

Bradford—John J. Wagner
Dixon—Luther Burket and Charles T. Self
East Grove—Ralph E. Hanson
Hamilton—Joseph Bauer
Lee Center—Kyle Miller
Marion—C. F. Welty
May—James Buckley
Nelson—C. C. Buckaloo
South Dixon—F. L. Young
Viola—U. Grant Dysart
Willow Creek—John H. Grove

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES IN DIXON TOWNSHIP

For Supervisor—
O. B. ANDERSON
For Assistant Supervisor—
J. M. M'CLEARY
For Commissioner of Highways—
FRANK FISHER
For Justices of the Peace—
GROVER W. GEHANT
JOHN B. CRABTREE
A. H. HANNEKEN
EDWARD J. CONDON
GEORGE W. HILL
For Constables—
W. V. E. STEEL
W. S. FLETCHER
JOHN HOWELL
D. W. RAFFENBERGER
WM. DYKEMAN.

Orville B. Anderson was yesterday elected Supervisor of Dixon Township over Mark D. Smith and A. E. Simonson, to succeed George Prescott, whose term has expired and who did not seek re-election. Mr. Anderson's majority was 161, which was a surprise to many who believed that the three-cornered fight would be much closer. Mr. Anderson carried every precinct in the city but two, losing the third to A. E. Simonson and the fourth to Mr. Smith.

McCleary Re-Elected.

J. M. McCleary was re-elected assistant supervisor over Hugh Bennett by 371 majority, carrying each of the six precincts.

Gaffney Defeated.

Former Highway Commissioner Michael Gaffney was defeated by Frank Fisher who, by running close in the first, second and third precincts and carrying the fourth, fifth and sixth, won the office by 83 votes.

Shaulis Defeated.

J. O. Shaulis was the one of the six candidates for Justice of the Peace who was defeated. rover W. Gehant, John B. Crabtree, A. H. Hanneken, Edward J. Condon and Geo. W. Hill being the successful candidates.

No Contest Here.

There was no contest on the question of constables, W. V. E. Steel, W. S. Fletcher, John Howell, D. W. Raffenberg and William Dykeman being elected.

Emmert Returned.

Supervisor Frank G. Emmert of Nachusa township was re-elected, defeating Scott Morris, the Progressive candidate, 91 to 50, while Elmer Cline, Democratic candidate for highway commissioner, was defeated by E. D. Weigle, who ran independent, 87 to 52. The proposition to levy a special tax for hard roads carried, 91 to 25.

Nelson Township.

The election in Nelson township was very quiet, but 36 votes being cast. P. F. Drew was elected highway commissioner without opposition, while A. J. Hollenbeck and William Phillips were successful candidates for Justice of the Peace and George Graves and Fred Ohda were chosen Constables.

Tom Long Defeated.

Supervisor Thomas Long of Harmon was defeated by E. J. Mannion yesterday, the People's Party candidate polling 107 votes to Mr. Long's 102. The result of the election in Harmon:

For Supervisor—
E. J. Mannion 107
T. P. Long 102
For Commissioner of Highways—
John Wolf 111
For Justices of the Peace—
Elmer H. Hess 122
H. M. Ostrander 114
For Constables—
Wm. Camery 104
John Drew 87
Wm. Neitzske 92
For School Trustee—
E. J. Mannion 117

The proposition to pay the district labor and district road tax in labor carried 74 to 49.

Gross Re-Elected.

Supervisor Chris Gross of China township was re-elected yesterday, defeating M. L. Crawford, the Progressive candidate, 191 to 97. The vote in China was:

For Supervisor—
C. Gross 191
M. L. Crawford 97
For Highway Commissioner—
G. H. Traeger 136
J. W. Cover 40
S. D. Remley 66
H. H. Dysart 41
For Justices of the Peace—
H. A. Stewart 48
F. H. Hausen 182
W. L. Reigle 143
For Constable—
H. Cupp 75
S. S. Herbst 51
C. O. Orner 85
W. F. Miller 129

Palmyra.

The election in Palmyra brought one surprise, the success of Harvey Senneff, whose name was written on the ballot, for Justice. The vote in the township:

Supervisor—
John P. Drew
Highway Commissioner—
Frank W. Brauer 98
John Lenox 79
Frank J. Tilton 4
Justices of the Peace—
John T. Lawrence Sr. 50
Harvey Senneff 78
A. R. Rutt 86
Constables—
R. J. Drynan
C. N. Stevens.

Marion.

For Commissioner—
James McCoy 83
John Douvier 61
For School Trustee—
E. J. O'Malley 89
John Blackburn 53
For Justice of the Peace—
Edwards Jones 93
John Leonard 3
For Constable—
John Wolcott 1
Henry Ranken 1
John Morrisey 1

Brooklyn Vote Light.

The vote was light in West Brooklyn for there was no contest and therefore no great interest. John W. Banks was returned to the board of supervisors with the biggest vote on the ticket, 166. Adam Mehlbrech for commissioner of highways got 161 and Wm. Ulteh and John Halbmaier for school trustees received 142 each, the former being elected for a full term and the latter to fill a one-year vacancy. H. A. Bernardin and J. F. Betz were each elected Justice of the Peace, the former getting 136 and the latter 133 votes. John S. Derr got 132 and Charles Carnahan 150 for constable.

Amboy Results.

There was little contest in Amboy. W. J. Edwards was returned to the board of supervisors with no opposition. W. P. Long was elected commissioner of highways in district No. 1, defeating Joseph Gascoigne and Frederick D. Searls. A. A. Virgil and John Appleman were elected Justices of the Peace with no opposition and C. E. Stanard, Francis Miller and W. L. Eddy were elected constables, defeating John Hanson. W. C. Smith was elected trustee of school with no opposition.

Township H. S. Defeated.

On the vote as to whether Amboy township should have a township high school, the proposition went 115 and 300 against.

Dixon Vote By Precincts

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
For Supervisor—							
O. B. Anderson	123	80	52	59	126	103	543
Mark D. Smith	109	60	37	71	39	66	382
A. E. Simonson	64	73	66	32	24	14	273
For Assistant Supervisor							
J. M. McCleary	181	147	75	84	149	130	766
Hugh Bennett	108	64	68	68	38	49	395
For Commissioner of Highways—							
Michael Gaffney	154	110	85	76	67	66	558
Frank Fisher	147	106	70	89	118	111	641
For Justices of the Peace—							
J. O. Shaulis	137	85	71	79	67	72	511
Grover Gehant	182	135	78	98	91	131	715
John B. Crabtree	232	170	98	126	112	133	871
A. H. Hanneken	216	150	84	102	102	126	780
E. J. Condon	186	119	78	84	68	90	625
George W. Hill	170	127	60	86	171	132	746
For Constables—							
W. V. E. Steel	214	162	86	109	116	131	818
W. S. Fletcher	175	118	69	86	104	102	654
John Howell	170	123	74	95	95	110	667
D. W. Raffenberger	170	109	59	82	109	111	640
Wm. Dykeman	173	113	64	84	94	104	632

STERLING GIRL IS VICTIM OF ATTACK

MICHAEL SELLER IS ARRESTED FOR FIENDISH ASSAULT ON LOUISE ELLER.

Sterling Standard—Louise Eller, a young girl employed at Woodlawn farm, was the victim of a very brutal attack Monday night at about 11 o'clock, and as a result Michael Sellers is now in jail facing a charge of a serious nature.

George Greenough and Clay Hill were attracted by the screams of a woman, who was crying loudly for help, and they located the trouble in the vicinity of Fourth street and Avenue C. Both men hastened to where the cries came from and found the unfortunate girl lying on the sidewalk.

The girl was picked up and carried into the McCloy home, where a surgeon was summoned and attended her injuries.

After the young lady had sufficiently recovered she furnished Officer Carter with a good description of her assailant and the officer in company with Mr. Greenough went directly to the Sellers home in the west end of the city where they found Sellers sleeping on a lounge.

Sellers was brought to the police station, where the girl positively identified him as her assailant.

There was every evidence that the girl had struggled desperately with her assailant and when the two men who rescued her reached her the girl was black in the face from the severe choking her assailant had inflicted while trying to accomplish his design. Her clothing was torn very badly.

MRS. SHAFFER ASKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Jennie L. Shaffer of this city has instituted divorce proceedings against her husband, Charles W. Shaffer, in the Lee county circuit court. The couple were married Oct. 13, 1904. She charges him with extreme and repeated cruelty, and asks alimony.

VETERAN OF "OLD 13TH" VISITS IN DIXON

Hugh Carr and wife of Clarion, Ia., are visiting in Dixon at the home of Mrs. Carr's sister, Mrs. J. D. Reynolds, 1422 West Third street.

Mr. Carr is a veteran of the "Old Thirteenth Illinois" and he would be pleased to visit with any of the comrades who will call on him.

Alto Goes Dry.

In alto there were no contests for office and the main fight centered on the wet and dry proposition with the result that Alto goes dry for two years by 114 to 80. Hard roads in Alto carried, 159 to 23.

Morris Cook was returned to the board of supervisors by 153 votes and no opposition. Isaac Peterson was elected highway commissioner by 143 with no opposition. W. J. Bowles got 139 for constable and John Buckley received 132 for the same office. both being elected. For Justices of the Peace, A. Richolson wes elected with 138 and M. W. Ravnass by 125. Edward Herrman received 140 votes for school trustee.

CHAIRMANSHIP IS A CONJECTURE

SEVERAL GOOD MEN SPOKEN OF AS HEAD OF SUPERVISORS' BOARD.

Five new members will take seats on the board of supervisors when they are called to convene for the purpose of organization, E. J. Mannion of Harmon; Wm Rucker of Sublette; Charles Ewald of Reynolds and O. B. Anderson of Dixon being the new men who were chosen yesterday. Thomas P. Long of Harmon, who, had he been re-elected by his constituents would have been a candidate for chairman, was the only old supervisor who was defeated. C. Gross of China and F. G. Emert of Nachusa were returned after hard fights, while Mr. Rucker, the new member from Sublette, was not opposed.

Now that the personnel of the board has been determined, the question of the chairmanship will be uppermost in the minds of the members. It is reported that A. S. Wells of Wyoming and John J. Wagner of Bradford have entered the race, and a lively battle between them may be expected.

PAVING BRICK ARRIVES.

The first of the brick for paving around the court house arrived yesterday and is being unloaded and placed ajong the line of the improvement, preparatory to commencing work. It is hoped the excavation for the paving can be commenced next week.

SON BORN.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ferguson yesterday.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Tuesday

Phidian Art Club with Mrs. C. B. Morrison.
Stereopticon Lecture on Jerusalem by E. T. Bailey—At Y. M. C. A.
Apron Sale, auspices of Ladies' Aid Society—At Baptist Church.
Ladies of the G. A. R. Bazar—Rosbrook Hall.
Supper at Baptist Church.

Wednesday.

Card Party— I. O. O. F. Hall
Loyal Order of Moose—Opera House Building.
U. S. W. V.—Armory Hall.
Ideal Club—With Mrs. Roy Bridges.
Mystic Workers—At Union Hall.
Prayer Meeting—Churches.

Thursday.

M. W. A. Meets—Union Hall.

Saturday

Roller Skating—Old Armory.
Recital—Prof. Strong's Pupils in Coppins' Hall.
Aid Society St. Paul's Lutheran church, at church.

Friday.

Dorothy Chapter O. E. S.—At Masonic Hall.

PINE CREEK MAN STRUCK BY BOLT

LIGHTNING STRUCK D. B. NETTZ AT HOME NEAR PENNSYLVANIA CORNERS.

Pine Creek, Apr. 2—Special to Telegraph—D. B. Nettz was struck by lightning last night while asleep in his home near Pennsylvania Corners and was nearly killed.

He was thrown clear out of bed by the bolt of electricity and lay stunned on the floor until members of the household came to his assistance.

At first it was thought that he was dead, but it was found later that he was unconscious. A phyiscian was called and everything possible done for him, and after about three hours he regained consciousness.

The bolt which struck him was an unusually loud one that alarmed several in the community who heard it, and knew that it struck close by. Nothing was burned, and how the bolt gained entrance to the house is a mystery. It is believed, however, that it came in over phone wires.

LADIES OF G. A. R. BAZAR IS SUCCESS

SONS OF VETERANS HAD GOOD EVENING—ODD FELLOWS TONIGHT.

The Sons of Veterans, who were in charge of the Ladies of the G. A. R. bazar at Rosbrook hall last evening, "made good" in every respect, and the success of the fair is now assured. Tonight the Odd Fellows will be in charge, and tomorrow afternoon there will be a card party at the hall, to which all are invited.

DIXON FLOOD FUND IS SWOLLEN TODAY

DONATIONS ARE MADE AT THE BANKS AND EVENING TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

All money sent to The Telegraph for the flood sufferers in Ohio and Indiana will be forwarded to The American Red Cross Association. Donations to date are:

Good Fellow Club of Dixon	$25.00
Samuel Hoon	1.00
A Friend	1.00
A Friend	1.00
W. B. Brinton	25.00
Mrs. Horace Street	2.25
Marquette Club	10.00
A Friend	1.00
Sugar Grove, Palmyra, church	5.00
A. K. Trusdell	5.00
Mrs. A. K. Trusdell	5.00
D. B. Raymond & Son	5.00
Cash	1.00
B. P. O. E., 779	50.00
S. S. Dodge	5.00
Lester Thompson	25
W. W. Heckman	1.00
Geo. Aschenbrenner	5.00
Leonard Blass	1.00
A Friend	2.00
R. W. Church	10.00
R. W. Thompson	5.00
A Friend	1.00
Herman Missman	2.00
Mrs. Lester Hoyle	1.00
W. H. Rink	5.00
J. H. Williams	1.00
Harry Roe	3.00
Lawrence Sheeps	2.00
A Friend	1.00
Dr. J. W. Worsley	5.00
Dr. J. W. Stevens	2.00
A Friend	1.00
Warren Smith	3.00
Isaac Cook	3.00
Two Friends	2.00
W. E. Trein	2.00
H. L. Fordham	25.00
Friend	1.00
A. C. Warner	10.00
R.	1.00
Geo. R. Rhodes	2.00
Total	$239.50

DOES WELL AT MONROE.

Word has been received from Peter Daniels, who recently opened a confectionery store at Monroe, Wis., in which he states that his business is more than meeting his expectations and that the prospects are very bright.

STATE APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED TODAY

GOV. DUNNE MAKES APPOINTMENTS—M'KINLEY NAMES COMMITTEES.

Springfield, Ill., Apr. 2—Special to Telegraph—Speaker McKinley today announced his appointments on the judiciary and judicial department and practice committees. Charles Karch of Belleville is chairman of the judicial committee, on which were named 22 democrats, 19 republicans, 2 progressives and 1 socialist.

Walter Provine of Taylorville is chairman of the other committee and 11 democrats, 10 republicans, 4 progressives and 1 socialist were named for the committee.

Governor Dunne today announced the following appointments: James Dibelka, Chicago, state architect; Fred Kern, Bellville, member of administration board; Arthur W. Charles, Carmi, member of rivers and and lakes commission; Lewis Stevenson, Bloomington, member of pardon board to succeed C. Eckhardt, and John Gibbons, Chicago, as chief grain inspector.

The legislature ratified the appointments under the suspension rules.

MIDLAND COMPANY BUYS SCHULER OUT

HOME LUMBER YARD WILL BE BE RUN BY A CHICAGO HEIGHTS FIRM.

W. A. Schuler today sold his lumber business and stock to the Midland Lumber company of Chicago Heights, and also leased the buildings and grounds to the same concern for a term of years, the new proprietors to assume possesion on Monday.

The Midland Lumber company is a large concern owing or controlling a number of yards in this state, and their officials promise to give the people of Dioxn and vicinity the best possible yards.

Mr. Schuler has not announced his plans for the future further than to state that he will spend considerable time looking after private business affairs and real estate holdings in Oklahoma.

RUBENSTEIN CO. OPEN NEW STORE

FORMER DIXON CONCERN REOPENS HERE WITH FINE STOCK.

The opening of the new store in the Baker building on Galena avenue, to be conducted by the J. M. Rubenstein company, will occur Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The store will carry a fine line of ladies' gowns, waists, corsets, underwear and hosiery. Over 150 dainty wash dresses are now in stock, no two alike; a handsome line of silk and satin gowns, with chiffon overdresses, and a nice line of waists are displayed.

The proprietors of the store hope to welcome all their old customers and many new ones, and guarantee value received.

MOTOR CARS FOR SECTION GANGS

Roadmaster Leo H. Ryan of the Northwestern has received fifteen motor hand cars for the use of his section gangs. Each car will carry about fifteen men and will greatly expedite matters in getting men to and from work, being much faster than the old pump cars and considerably easier on the muscles. The cars have been scattered along at the different sections.

KENTUCKY TOWN WIPED OUT BY FLOOD

Catesburg, Ky., Apr. 2—Special to Telegraph—This place was wiped out by flood today and many people have been drowned.

OFFER PRIZES FOR THE BEST FLOWER GARDEN

PHIDIAN ART CLUB STARTS CAMPAIGN FOR A CITY OF FLOWERS.

ASK HELP FROM OTHERS

Work on Shrubbery and Window Boxes Also to Be Rewarded—Various Prizes Offered.

Under the auspices of the Phidian Art club of this city, with the hope of assistance of other clubs, a system of home gardening is about to be undertaken. The first purpose of this movement is to interest all of the school boys and girls of Dixon in the making of flower beds, and cultivation of flowers.

It is also desired that the owners and those occupying public buildings and stores may become interested in the placing of flower boxes where the public may enjoy them, in the business portions of the city.

Also, to interest all residents in the adorning of porches and windows with flower boxes and baskets, that their homes may be beautified.

Also, to plant borders of shrubbery this spring, about the homes and the lawns.

Also, to keep lawns in neat condition, both in the front and rear of homes.

Also, the cultivation of flowers in beds.

For all these different days of beautifying the city, prizes are to be offered to the ones who succeed best in carrying out the idea.

Those offering prizes are:
The Phidian Art Club
Evening Telegraph
Dixon Flower Shop
Hartwell Nursery
Wm. B. Brinton.

It seems to be the right year, and the proper time of the year to begin the work of bringing about a City Beautiful.

It cannot be done by a few, but it may be successfully accomplished if all become interested.

From time to time information will be printed in the newspapers regarding the making of gardens, and otherwise instructing the public on lines to be pursued. Photographs taken before and after improvements are made will be published.

It is hoped that this work may meet the hearty approval of each and every citizen of Dixon.

RETURNS DIXON DELINQUENT LIST

City Clerk Blake Grover yesterday returned to County Treasurer Frank C. Vaughan the list of delinquent special assessments. These assessments will now be collected by the county treasurer, and if not paid the property against which the assessments are delinquent will be sold at the annual tax sale.

FINE ENTERTAINMENT COURSE.

The entertainment course to be given by the Y. M. C. A. this year has been assured by the booking of four exceptionally strong numbers from the Century Lyceum bureau. It is planned to have six numbers the coming winter, the two others to be secured later.

DIRECTORS MEET.

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular meeting at the association building Friday at 6 p. m. A supper will be served the members before the business meeting.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

	Max	Min. Precip.
Wednesday	32	19
Thursday	28	20
Friday	35	21
Sunday	60	38
Monday	64	41
Tuesday	59	39

Social Happenings

Bates- Burkholder

Miss Gertrude Bates of Wasta, S. D., and Amos Burkholder of Morrison were united in marriage Wednesday, March 26th, at high noon at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Allen Whitmer in the presence of a few friends and relatives. Rev. Crofts of the Morrison Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony. After the ceremony the young couple left on a wedding trip to the east. They will be at home to their many friends after April 1 on the groom's farm in Clyde township.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Burkholder have many friends who extend to them their hearty congratulations. Mr. Burkholder is well known here.

Aid Society.

The Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the church.

Missionary Society.

The Women's Missionary society of the Eldena church will meet on Thursday with Mrs. Will Shippert at 2:30. Members are requested to bring their self-denial envelopes with them.

Special Music.

There will be an evening of special music at St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday evening.

To Meet at Parsonage

The regular meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will be held at the parsonage Thursday April 3rd, at 2:30. Sunday April 6th, the annual thank offering meeting of the society will occupy the morning hour at the church. E. T. Bailey will deliver an address. A large attendance is desired at both meetings.

Banquet of Neighbourly Class

Last evening at the Methodist church the Neighbourly class of the Sunday school enjoyed their annual class banquet.

"Enjoy" is just the proper word to describe the attitude of those attending.

Ninety-five sat down to the delicious spread served by the young ladies of the Queen Estehr Circle, and it proved to be one of the best of their justly celebrated efforts in the culinary line. The tables were very attractive in their pure white linen, and sparkling silver, decorated most artistically in flowers.

Supper ended, the guests then went from the dining room to the parlors above, and were delightfully entertained with the following program:

Piano solo—Miss Vera Jacobus
Reading—Mrs. Chas. Floto
Violin solo—Miss Gertrude Nesbit
Reading—Mrs. Winnifred Frye
Vocal Quartet—The Floto Brothers.
Address—"The Rev. Peter Cartwright." by Editor Frank Stevens.

Each number was heartily enjoyed and Frank Stevens again demonstrated that he is an orator of no mean ability.

Just to have a little fun, it being All Fools' day, a joke was here sprung on the teacher, when Sec. E. T. Bailey in behalf of the class, made a witty little talk and at the close presented Mr. Neighbour with a nicely wrapped, fine looking package. The recipient began to unwrap it, but found it a rather difficult experience, as one empty paper after another was taken off another was disclosed. Mr. Neighbour with his unequalled patience and equanimity proceeded with the embarassing task and at the bottom of the box he disclosed a handsome necktie which amply repaid him for the fun enjoyed at his expense.

Mrs. C. B. Abbott, of Moline, a former member of the class was present, as was also her baby boy Donald "the youngest member" of the class, and altogether one of the most welcome guests of the evening.

Mrs. B. F. Stewart of Nelson, was an out of town guest present, and Julius Lloyd of Nelson was also a guest.

Messrs and Mesdames Louis and Will Floto of the Kingdom were present, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Floto swelled the number of the happy gathering.

"The Neighbourly class" of the M. E. church is one of the most prosperous and popular of like organizations, and as they rally to the standard of genial warmth and good cheer radiated by their teacher L. B. Neighbour, grow stronger with each passing year.

Of all the happy gatherings held by this class, that of last evening, proved to be one of the most enjoyable.

Meet Tomorrow

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church meet tomorrow at the church in an all day meeting.

Phidian Art Club.

The members of the Phidian Art club and many invited guests were entertained yesterday at the spacious and hospitable home of Mrs. C. B. Morrison, by Mrs. Jessie Bramen-Daggett in a most unique and delightful manner.

She kept her audience entranced for over an hour, as with a running accompaniment she whistled the bird song or call and then carried the motif on in some familiar composition.

Her listening ear has discovered in the songs of birds hints of a very wide range of music, from the sacramental motif of Parsifal to our up-to-date rag-time.

Perhaps all of us do not recognize the motif of the Jewel Song from Faust, when our neighbor's rooster awakens us as he greets the rising sun, but Mrs. Daggett does.

One bird sings the gypsy song sings the motif of 'Silver Threads from 'The Bohemian Girl,' another Among the Gold.' Mrs. Daggett has even found a rag-time melody into which the squeak of the English sparrow enters, while 'The Evening Star' is sung by the white-throated sparrow. When the oriole returns from his winter vacation in the south it is not strange that he should sing 'Dixie' to his northern friends. The robin sings a motif of 'The Flower Song' in Faust and the peewee sings a plaintiff strain from 'Fra Diavolo.'

Each feathered friend sings a different air, perhaps only a few notes, but some of the greatest symphonies of the world have been built upon a few notes.

What bird songs mean to Mrs. Daggett, we all wish might convey the same meaning to us, and so they would if we loved and studied them as she does.

Mrs. Morrison served delicious refreshments and the remainder of the afternoon was spent in a social way.

At Lindeman Home

Misses Bertha Onken and Minnie John son were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lindeman.

At Hess Home

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hess of St. James entertained as their guests at dinner Sunday, Mrs. Martha Shippert and family.

Entertained at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kelsey delightfully entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bush and Mrs. H. E. Bradley.

For Mrs. Shear

Mrs. M. D. Grimes will entertain tomorrow afternoon for Mrs. T. F. Shear, who will leave the lattter part of the week for her home in St. Joe, Mich., after a visit here with relatives.

Birthday Celebratde

Burton Woodworth entertained a few of his friends at dinner and supper Sunday at his home on Willet Ave. The day was the anniversary of his birth, the seventeenth.

Indoor Picnic

Today the members of Mrs. Roe's Sunday school class of the Methodist church enjoyed an indoor picnic at the church. The families of the members were also invited. A scramble dinner was served at noon.

Visited Daughter.

Mrs. E. C. Sickels has returned from a visit of two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Welch, of Milwaukee.

Benefit Dance

A benefit dance will be given at Rosbrook hall next Tuesday night for Will Gibbons, the proceeds to be used by the young man to enlarge his confectionery busniess. Many friends are rallying to his support by liberal patronage of tickets and the young man will doubtless realize a neat sum from his dance.

Woodmen Will Meet

Camp 56, Modern Woodmen of America, will meet tomorrow evening to elect a delegate to the congressional convention at Freeport April 17. There will also be initiation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner Surprised

On Monday night friends numbering twenty-six gathered at their home and gave them a home coming surprise, as this is their new home. A very happy evening was spent by all present. A scramble supper was served during the evening and the memory of the happy time will long remain with those present. As the guests departed at a late hour they wished Mr. and Mrs. Wagner many years of happiness in the new home.

Recital at Strong's.

The advanced pupils of Strong's College of Music will hold a recital in Coppins' hall Thursday evening, April 3rd. Following is the program to be rendered:

Program.

Orchestra ..... Selection
Piano—Transcription from Lohengrin ..... Wagner
Miss Rubie Gray
Violin ..... Drdla
Frank Salisbury
Piano—Titania ..... Weley
Miss Alice Herbst
Violin—Fantasia Pastorale. Singalee
Miss Miriam Lapham
Piano—a. Scene De Ballet .....
..... Noszwoki
b. Waltz No. 5.....Chopin
Miss Irma Hunter
Vocal ..... Selected
Miss Luella Crissman
Violin—Gypsy Dance ..... Wier
Walter Stott
... . Moszkowski
Miss Isabel Van Epps
Orchestra ..... Selected

Entertained.

Mrs. Mike Gaffney yesterday entertained Mrs. Frank Young and daughter Bess.

Painters' Union.

An important meeting of the Painters' union will be held this evening. Every member of the union is asked to attend.

Entertained.

Mrs. Bose of North Crawford avenue delightfully entertained a number of friends at dinner today in honor of her birthday.

Party Postponed.

The card party to have been given in Odd Fellows hall has been postponed indefinitely.

Farewell Reception.

A number of friends of Mrs. Chas. Plein gathered at their home last evening and gave them a farewell reception, as they will move to Dixon Wednesday. The evening was spent in a social way and light refreshments were served. The guests departed for their homes, all wishing them success in their new home.—Sterling Standard.

Eye Ailments

Seventy-five per cent of people have abnormal vision, and only about 25 per cent wear glasses to correct the defects.

The other 50 per cent suffer from various eye troubles. These have a reflex action on other bodily functions, causing headaches, indigestion, dizziness, and many other ailments.

Every person should make it a point to find out whether his or her eyes are normal or not.

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ELK'S BILLIARD TORRNEY IS ON

PURPLE AND WHITE UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF ROE AND ROBINSON.

The Purple and White teams for the Elks' annual billiard tournament have been picked, and under the respective leadership of H. A. Roe and Freeman Robinson, have commenced to play off the scheduled games, in which every member of the club will take part. The first game of the tournament was between Clayton Campbell of the Purples and Clinton Mossholder of the Whites, Campbell winning 50 to 38. At the close of the tournament the losers will banquet the winners.

Double Trading Stamps.

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WIFEY HAD A LONG HEAD

People With Patriotic Instincts Paid for the Patching Up of Her Old House.

"If I thought I could get a wife as smart as the wife of that man who bought property up in Westchester, I'd get married tomorrow," said the pessimist. "It was a bum house he got hold of. Rotting shingles, sagging weather boarding, and defective plumbing sent cold chills chasing all over the man every time he looked at them. Luckily for him his wife was not subject to chills. She joined a literary society, and one day when nosing around among historical documents she discovered that their dilapidated little cottage had been somebody's headquarters for about fifteen minutes in some war or other.

"'Patriotic societies can't afford to let this house go to rack and ruin,' she said with spirit. 'It won't cost over $300 to make repairs. We couldn't raise $300 in three years, but the societies can get it easily enough, and it is their duty to do it.'

"She wrote fervent appeals to public spirited citizens who have a hankering for investing money in historic landmarks. Pretty soon contributions began to come in. They were not large, but they were numerous and the first thing that man knew he had enough cash on hand to buy new shingles and patch up the weather-boarding. What better investment can a fellow make, I should like to know, than a shanty with a historic past and a wife with a Wall street head?"

LITTLE JOKE ON FARMERS

Sleepers Effectually Roused by Threatened Danger in Which They All Felt a Share.

"I am no foe to whiskers. Indeed, in cold weather, I regard whiskers as a blessing. They protect the throat."

The speaker was De Wolf Hopper, the comedian. From his corner table in Delmonico's he resumed:

"And reverencing whiskers as I do, I shall never cease to regret a joke I once perpetrated in Nola Chucky.

"We were playing in Nola Chucky during a campaign, and one evening on my return to the hotel I was amazed to find the whole place packed and jammed with sleeping and bewhiskered farmers.

"They had come in, you see, from miles around to vote, and now, utterly worn out, they lay snoring everywhere. Yes, the entire floor space of the hotel was covered with sleeping farmers. All were whiskered, and their whiskers, sticking up in the air, caused the hotel halls to resemble fields of grain. Those upstanding whiskers in the draughty corridors waved in the breeze, for all the world like fields of nodding grain on a windy day.

"Then I played my joke. I shouted at the top of my lungs:

"'Hit the one with the whiskers.'"

"And instantly every blessed farmer leaped to his feet with doubled fists."

Historic Church.

One of the oldest churches in America is the French cathedral or basilica of Quebec, which dates back to 1647. It is one of the most imposing structures in Canada. It contains several important pictures, including a picture of the crucifixion painted by Van Dyck in 1630, which, with several other examples of the old masters, was looted from the churches in Paris by the revolutionists of 1793 and purchased by Abbe Des Jardins of Quebec, who happened to be in the French capital at that time.

The vestments are superb and the collection of sacred relics is the largest in North America. They are kept in two large vaults in the sacristy and include skulls or bones of more than 400 saints, beside pieces of the true cross and crown of thorns, the cradle of the child Jesus, a piece of rope with which the Savior was flogged and a fragment of the veil of the holy mother which shows a stain of the blood of her beloved son which fell upon it as she kneeled before the cross.—Exchange.

The Figure of the Law.

A husky New York gangster permitted himself to be arrested in the course of a street fight by a policeman. When the ward leader had bailed him out, his friends made merry at his expense. "To be done up by one cop!" was the comment. "You could 'a eaten him up wid one bite."

"Yes, an' I could a laid him out wid one blow," was the answer. "Say, young feller, was you ever on de island?"

"Just as a friend; never under de curtain for keeps."

"Then shut down on your works. Let me tell you, when a cop comes at me wid a club I don't see him. I see de bloke on de bench. The island. That cell. His club looks to me like all these; and I throw up my hands. And so will youse, if you are wise guys. A cop is a policeman; he ain't a man. See?"

Raised Something.

Cynicus—What did the signers of the Declaration of Independence raise by pledging their sacred honor?

Historian—From the British point of view, I rather think they raised Cain.

Easy Fruit.

"What does the political pie of which I hear so much contain?"

"Plums."—Washington Star.

City In Brief

X. F. Gehant went to Brooklyn township today on drainage business.

Dr. E. A. Sickels was called to La Salle today to perform an operation for appendicitis at St. Mary's hospital.

Henry Phelps of Nelson was in Dix on Tuesday.

Joe Dauntler was in Sterling today on business.

Fred Leake of Amboy was here yesterday.

City Engineer Charles Nesbit was in the Inlet Swamp Drainage district today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Reigle were here today from Franklin Grove.

Floyd Sheap of Franklin Grove was here today.

H. H. Heinze of the I. N. U. has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Chas. Peters of Sterling was here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Smith of Sterling were here yesterday.

Miss Lucy Badger has returned from Cambridge, Mass., where she spent the winter.

POLICE SHIFT HOURS.

The monthly shift of the night and day police forces took place yesterday, Officer Ed Whetstine taking the day trick with Officers Fitzsimmons and John Winters on nights.

INSPECT LEE-OGLE BRIDGE.

The highway commissioners of Dixon and Grand Detour are meeting at the county line bridge on the Prindaville farm this afternoon to consider what action should be taken to replace the bridge abutment, which was washed out during the recent freshet. The bridge has been in use only about two years, and was thought to be proof against high water.

Black Wolves Born in Captivity.

The population of the Columbia gardens zoo was increased by five the other day. A quintet of black wolves were born and Bess, the mother, was the proudest animal at the resort Black wolves have become a rarity during the last few years.

Bess has a history. Several years ago a hunt was being made for female black wolves. An Indian boy on the Crow reservation caught Bess 1 na trap in the Big Horn Canyon. An Indian friend in Billings wrote for him to the management of the gardens and received an offer of $50 for the animal. He accepted it. Since that time Bess has shown scruples against race suicide, and black wolves are not uncommon at the gardens.—Anaconda Standard.

Degrees in Horse Trading.

Judge A. A. Adams, of the Indiana appellate court, says the Indianapolis Star, tells a story of a man who was a good horse trader, but through lack of mathematical education was unable to determine his per cent. of profits.

"This man," relates Judge Adams, "made a good trade, and he was anxious to know his real per cent. of profit, so he consulted a school teacher.

"'I bought a horse the other day for $25 and sold him for $175; now, what was my per cent. profit?' he asked the teacher.

"'That,' replied the teacher, 'was not profit; it was larceny.'"

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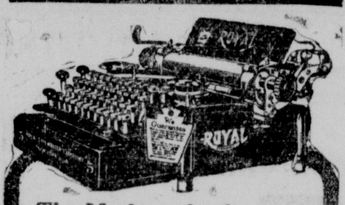

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Listening to a phonograph at a friend's house.

Waiting for somebody to come and take him automobile riding.

Following Instructions

The report was carried to the captain that the passenger in stateroom No. 23, had died, and the captain ordered a deckhand to go and throw the body overboard.

A few minutes afterward the deckhand reported. He was covered with prespiration and gave all the evidences of having had the fight of his life His face was scratched and his clothing torn.

"Did you follow my instructions," asked the captain.

"I did," he replied. 'The passengerger in stateroom No. 33 has been put overboard as per your instructions."

"No. 33!" shrieked the captain. "I didn't say stateroom No. 33. I said No. 23."

"Well, I guess that's my mistake," replied the deckhand. "The fellow in No. 33, told me he wasn't dead, but some men lie so nowadays you can't believe a thing they say."

From Hickeyville Clarion

William Tibbitts says he hates to pay his taxes, as a noted astrologer says the world is going to an end early this year, and he don't like to waste money. When Tibbitts shaves he cuts down expenses by latherin' himself with the end of his whiskers. Bud Hicks ain't seen much of the world. He figgered it up that he has spent fourteen years in jail and twenty-one years waitin' in barber shops to get shaved. Anse Higgins is so red-headed that William Tibbitts won't let him sit anywhere near the gasoline can in the grocery.

SCARABORO

Scarboro, Mch. 31.— Miss Hazel Webber returned Monday morning, after spending two days with the teachers at an institute held in DeKalb County.

P. C. Schoenholz and wife Steward callers Thursday evening.

E. L. Titus and daughter Luella, were in Scarboro Monday in a new 1913 Reo.

Henry Snyder and wife were passengers south to Mendota Thursday morning.

Mr. Haymaker of Rochelle was an over Sunday visitor at the home of W. A. Webber.

W. E. Ammerman of Pennsylvania is here again. He is doing a job of papering for Mrs. Henry Snyder.

Miss Ruth Schoenholz and school mate Elizabeth Constatine from Jennings Seminary are spending a week's vacation with the former's relatives.

School is again in session in District 140 after four days vacation.

Mrs. Jacob Fisher who has been quite sick, is reported some better.

Mrs. Warick and brother George Cobb, of Rochelle spent Thursday at their old home.

Mrs. W. A. Webber was a passenger north Wednesday evening on her way to Rockford.

S. O. Argraves and J. F. Betz of Compton were here Monday.

Art Smith has the addition to his barn completed, ready for a coat of paint.

Dr. Durin and Dr. Kimball were in Scarboro Wednesday.

Basket social and program at Scarboro hall, April 5th. Ladies please bring well filled baskets. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shank of Steward were here Sunday visiting with Archie Whitlatch and family.

Luella Grove Emma Hilleson and Ella Herrmann passed the central examination with an average above 91.

ROCKFORD BOY WAS DROWNED IN RIVER

Rockford, April 1.—Henry Blakesley, aged 15, residing with his widowed mother at 316 South Court street, was drowned and his companion, Charles Robinson, had a narrow escape from a watery grave when the canoe in which they were paddling near the foot of Green street, capsized Sunday afternoon, about 4:30, throwing both boys into the swift current of the swollen Rock River.

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RIVER AT CAIRO AT HIGHEST MARK

Reaches 54-Foot Stage and Is Still Rising—Birds Point Levee Breaks.

DRAINAGE DISTRICT FLOODED

Dayton, Ohio, Faces Starvation—Government Appealed to for Rations —Crest of Flood at Cincinnati —Hamilton in Bad Way.

Cairo, Ill., April 2.—River has reached 54-foot stage and is still rising. This was highest mark in flood of 1912. Levee at Birds Point, Mo., went out during the night. The country there was already flooded, but river will have a better sweep across that section and will run out at more rapid rate.

Shawneetown, Ill., April 2.—Shawneetown is a devastated and desolated city. The lower levee below the town was dynamited and the main levee along the Ohio river front was blown up. The water is all over the abandoned city and twenty feet deep on Main street directly inside the government levee, which stands officially fifty-seven feet

Cairo, Ill., April 2.—The drainage district, north of Cairo, which was flooded last year, causing a loss of over five million dollars, is again inundated by the angry waters of the Ohio. Owing to many warnings given people of that section and heeded by them, the loss will be much less this year, and will probably not exceed one million dollars. The district which was practically abandoned during the morning held back the raging waters until 5:45 p. m., when a big break occurred on the Big Four side near the Pioneer Pole & Shaft company, and waters are now rushing over the district and it will be inundated from a depth of ten to twenty feet.

Many Industries in District.

The industries in the flooded district are the Chicago Mill & Lumber company, the Weis Peterson Box company, the Sears Roebuck Co., the McClure Co., the Pioneer Pole & Shaft company, the Greer Wilkerson Lumber company and the Indiana Refining company. The village of Future City, with a negro population of 1,500, is located in the district as well as a large number of farm houses. The district now being flooded contains seven thousand acres of land. It has been entirely reconstructed since the flood of last year. This district lies on the north of Cairo, and the flood there will in no way affect the city proper, as the big flood gates at Subway protect Cairo from the drainage district.

Workmen Swarm Cairo Levees.

Workmen swarmed Cairo levees like a swarm of bees, and trainload after trainload of sand bags and other material was dumped upon the levees in most convenient places for use of these busy men. By calling every levee workman out of the drainage district it nearly doubled the force in the city. The work of bulk heading and sand bagging levees proceeded so rapidly that Mayor George Parsons felt justified in issuing the following statement:

"Prospects are favorable to successfully take care of approaching floods at Cairo, coming out of the Ohio river which will greatly exceed high water of 1912, provided levees below do not break. Citizens and soldiers are working vigorously to acocmplish this end."

Nine Dead at Peru.

Peru, Ind., April 2.—Peru's death list stands at nine. Although many persons are still missing, it is probable that they succeeded in getting out of the path of the flood and are now in nearby cities. The list of dead was officially announced as follows:

Earl "Red" Mays, C. & O. conductor; Benjamin F. York, Civil war veteran; Albert Smith, C. & O. conductor, 223 West Third street; Mrs. Francis Stumm, wife of Doctor Stumm; Mrs. James Hosman, died of exposure; A. Retz, drowned with Smith; Peter Kellogg, C. & O. brakeman; William Friends, C. & O. brakeman; Miss Delight Shields.

The burial of the dead has been completed. The work of placing the city in a sanitary condition is being rapidly pushed.

Starvation Menaces Dayton.

Dayton, Ohio, April 2.—The food supply is again in danger of running short in this stricken city. Practically 100,000 of the 120,000 inhabitants who are now here are dependent upon the authorities for food. Only sufficient rations for three days remain; others are on the way, but the condition of the railroads and the deplorable conditions existing in other Ohio cities causes much alarm here.

Orville Wright and E. K. Barney, the latter Dayton's wealthiest man, stood in the bread line here. Wright said that he had saved a large number of drawings and models of inventions, which would have taken years to reproduce.

Asks Government for Rations.

Following a meeting held in the National Cash Register offices, John H. Patterson, the president of the company, requisitioned the government for one million rations. This is indicative of the situation which the citizens now face.

The shortage of money is one of the most pressing matters to be solved at present. During the last two days $750,000 has been received by the banks here. Every bank in the state is closed owing to the ten-day legal holiday declared by Governor Cox, to allow a readjustment of business and financial affairs.

A tour of the city presented a pitiable and distressing sight. Hundreds of homes are ruined and deserted and many persons appear hopeless after viewing the ruins of their residences and places of business.

Flood's Crest at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 2.—The crest of the flood reached here last night. The stage was 69.8, and began falling about midnight. There have been no confirmed losses of life, but the property damage will be heavy. The relief situation is well in hand here, and there is $100,000 available for relief work.

Government relief boats have distributed provisions to upriver towns which are suffering greatly from lack of sufficient supplies to cope with the situation. The government relief boat Scioto left here with supplies for down river points and with orders to stop at Louisville and take orders from General Logan, who left here to take charge of the relief work in Louisville.

In Covington and Newport, Ky., and other towns throughout the Ohio valley, thousands of homes and business houses are under water, and it is impossible to estimate the amount of property damage, which will run way in to the millions. There have been no confirmed loss of life in these places.

Hamilton in Pitiable Condition.

Hamilton is in a pitiable condition. No human man may know the number of persons who lost their lives. A former city official, making a ohuse to house canvass, says that the most conservative estimate would be 700 and that it may reach 1,500. No town in the stricken district has suffered in any degree comparable to Hamilton. She has been utterly destroyed, and the business men are appealing for help.

BIG FIRE IN JANESVILLE

$500,000 Conflagration Sweeps Wisconsin Town's Bridge Stores.

Janesville, Wis., April 2.—Fire and flood were combined here, when department stores built on the bridge across Rock river in the center of the city, were destroyed by fire, and the ruins well into the river, damming the stream, and threatening to throw the waters of the river, now at flood height, over the city.

The loss totaled nearly half a million dollars.

DUKE IS PROCLAIMED KING

Montpensier Named Ruler of Albania by Provisional Government.

Paris, April 2.—The duke of Montpensier was proclaimed king of Albania by the provisional government of that country, according to a dispatch received here. It is further stated that the duke has accepted the offer of the crown and that the powers will be immediately asked to recognize him as the ruler of the proposed autonomous kingdom.

Leaves $100,000 to Salvation Army.

London, April 2.—Miss E. J. Emery, the American woman who died in London on February 16, willed $100,000 to the Salvation Army, it was learned.

Anxiety Over Condition of Flagler.

West Palm Beach, April 2.—The condition of Henry M. Flagler, who recently suffered a fall at his home near here, was reported worse.

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Secretary of War Garrison, who is in supreme command in the flood district of Ohio and Indiana, is carrying out the plans of the administration in vigorous fashion.

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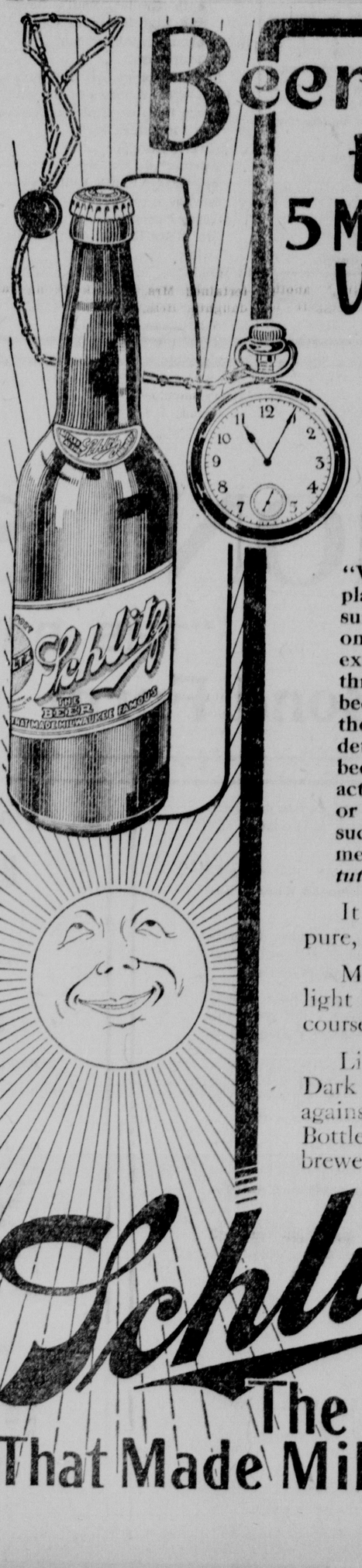

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COMMENDABLE ACTION.

One of the most commendable movements ever started in Dixon is that which the Phidian Art club is engaged in, namely: the inspiring of Dixonites to homes and lawns made beautiful with flowers, shrubs, etc.

They are making up a "Prize Fund," to which the Telegraph was very glad to subscribe, and they are going to offer cash prizes for the best flower beds of various sorts, the best looking shrubbery, the best kept lawn, the best looking window boxes in the business district, etc.

The movement deserves the support of every merchant and every citizen. The Telegraph, for its part, will be glad to help in every way it can, for we believe the results will be exceedingly gratifying.

NATURE OBEYS POETRY

"Twinkle! twinkle! little star,"
The poet said, and lo!
'Way above the earth so far
The stars a-twinkling go.
—San Francisco Call.

"Roll on, thou deep blue ocean, roll!"
Another's voice was heard.
And ocean rolls obedient to
His mandatory word.
—Louisville Herald

"Blow, blow, thou winter wind,"
The third one gave command.
And every winter now we hear
It blow to beat the band.
—Boston Transcript

"Thou, too, sail on, O Ship of State,"
A poet once did sing;
And ever since the ship of State's
Been doing that same thing.
—Yonker's Statesman

"Backward turn your flight, O Time!"
And Time turns back, I ween,
Since ladies when they're twenty-one
Go back to seventeen.
Graves Center Daily Yowl

GEO. ZEEK OF AMBOY DIED TUESDAY MORN

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM AMBOY—PERSONAL NOTES.

Amboy, Apr. 1—Alf Nicholson of Dixon was here Tuesday.

George Zeek passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Zeek, Tuesday after a long illness. He was born and raised here and grew to manhood here, when he received employment with the railroad company and had been a railroad for many years. He leaves to mourn his departure, his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Foy Brown of Mendota and Mrs. J. O'Malley of Ohio, Ill. He has lived in several different cities during his absence, but came here to visit his parents some time ago.

Miss Jennie Oakes was through here Monday on her way to her home in Lee Center to spend her vacation from her school duties at Dixon. She was accompanied by her mother who has been a guest at the Brink home in Dixon.

Miss Irene Hines, who spent the week end with Amboy friends, left for her home in Morgan park near Chicago, where she will spend her vacation.

The County Sunday School institute will convene at the Congregational church here Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday morning and afternoon. A program is arranged and doubtless there will be a good attendance of delegates present.

Mrs. Roy L. Brink is spending a few days in Chicago.

Mrs. E. C. Gridley will be hostess to the Women's club Monday afternoon, April 7. A short play will be read by some of the members and a good program is in store for those attending.

Here's hoping the fine weather continues indefinitely.

Mr. Fehr of Freeport was here and in inghampton Tuesday.

Dr. Rose of Dixon was here today.

Double Trading Stamps.

Double Trading Stamps on Friday on all Cash Sales at Brown's New Store. 78tf

MUSICAL TOMORROW NIGHT AT SCHOOL

STUDENTS AND TEACHERS WILL TAKE PART IN PROGRAM AT HIGH SCHOOL.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Muriel Prile Phelps, pupils and teachers of the south side schools will give the program below in the assembly room of the high school Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. An admission of 10 cents will be charged, the net proceeds of which will be used to start a piano fund for the E. C. Smith school.

1 Daisy Bud ..... Churchill
"Here's a Ball"
Mr. Frog ..... Neidlinger
Mother's Knives ..... Gaynor
Primary Chorus

2 Solo—Little Black Boy. Churchill
Eloise Thompson
"Grown-up Land"
Third Grade Girls' Chorus, Truman Building
"Miner Song"
Third Grade Boys' Chorus, Truman and Smith Buildings
"Lullabye"
Third Grade Girls' Chorus, Central Building
"Rainy Day"
Third Grade Boys' Chorus, Central Building

4 Solo—Slumber Sea ..... Gaynor
Bertha Rubenstein

5 "Santa Lucia"
"Lily Bells Ring"
"Blue Birds"
"Lullabye"
Fifth Grade Chorus, Smith Building
"Maid of the Fan"
Girls' Chorus, Sixth and Seventh Grades, Smith Seventh and Eighth Grades Central

7 "Sunbonnet Babies" and
"Overall Boys"
Second Grades, All Buildings

8 Duet—"Hard Times in Boyland"
George Schuler, Charles Rowland

9 "The Flag Goes By"
"Mother-Love"
"Boating"
6th Grade, Smith Building

10 "Cowboy Chorus"
"Gypsy Chorus"
5th & 6th Grades, Central Building

11 "Dixie"
"Midshipmate,"
"Stars of the Summer Night"
7th Grade, Central

12 "Washerwoman Song"
"The Bootblack Song"
4th Grade, Central

13 "The Patriot of Bunker Hill"
"Welcome, Pretty Primrose"
"In the Apple Tree"
6th Grade, Smith

14 Mammy's Lullabye.....Jamison
High School Quartet

15 "Tenting Tonight"
8th Grade Boys' Chorus

16 I See You ..... Drill
3rd Grade Woodworth & Smith

17 "Newsboys' Chorus"
6th & 7th Grades, Smith

18 "There's Music in the Air"
God's Sentinels"
"March of the Spheres"
"Columbia the Gem of the Ocean"
"My Old Kentucky Home"
8th Grade, Central

19 Medley
Chorus 5th, 6th and 7th Smith, 6th, 7th and 8th, Central.
Pianist—Miss Ada Shippert.

HEAVY WRENCH INJURES F. M. DIXON

While the I. N. U. crew were installing boulevard lights on First street this morning, a heavy wrench dropped from the belt of one of the workmen upon the post and dropped fifteen feet, striking Mr. Dixon, who was standing below the ladder. The tool inflicted a bad gash in Mr. Dixon's head and necessitated twenty-two stitches.

RE-DECORATE SKATING RINK.

The skating rink in the Gaffney building will be closed for a few days while alterations are being made and the hall is being re-decorated.

BOOSTER ENTERTAINMENT ON NEXT WEEK

Monday and Tuesday will witness the big musical entertainment at the opera house, given by the Booster club to raise funds for cleaning the river bank. Magician Gylleck will give some new "stunts" and the youngest orchestra in the state will furnish a feature.

Rockefeller Balks at Price.

Colon, Panama, April 2.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., thinks $180 is too much to pay for a special train to cross the isthmus of Panama. He made his feelings on the matter very clear when he flatly refused to pay such a tax here.

John Trostle of Ashton was here Tuesday.

TURKS BOW TO POWERS

Unreservedly Accept Peace Terms Proposed by Them.

Fall of Adrianople Considered Likely to Have Some Influence on Future Negotiations.

Constantinople, April 2.—The Turkish government declared that it unreservedly accepted the terms of peace proposed by the European powers. The foreign office handed the Ottoman acceptance to the dean of the diplomatic corps here and expressed the thanks of the nation to the powers for their mediation.

Bulgaria, on Friday last, notified the powers that she would accept the proposed terms of peace but persisted in her demand for a war indemnity.

The fall of Adrianople is considered likely to have some influence on future negotiations. The terms of mediation proposed by the powers are as follows:

The frontier of the Ottoman empire in Europe shall start at Enos and, following the course of the Maritza river, and then that of the Ergene, shall end at Midia. All territories situated to the west of this line shall be ceded by Turkey to the allied states with the exception of Albania, the delimitation of which shall be fixed by the powers.

The question of the Aegean islands shall be settled by the powers.

Turkey shall abandon all claim to Crete.

The great powers declare at the same time that as soon as these bases are accepted hostilities shall cease.

AEROPLANE FOR SUICIDE

Russian Army Officer Deliberately Lets Himself Fall 600 Feet.

London, England, April 2.—Lieutenant Perlokski of the Russian army committed suicide by deliberately shutting off the motor of an aeroplane in which he was flying and dropping from a height of 600 feet to the ground, according to a dispatch. The tragedy was believed to have been an accident until a letter written just before the fatal flight was opened. In it Lieutenant Perlokski expressed his intention of committing suicide in midair and gave as a reason that he had been a victim of many intrigues.

Servant Gives $1,000 Coat Away.

Washington, April 2.—Red Cross officials in Ohio were instructed by the society headquarters here to be on the lookout for a $1,000 fur coat among the clothes sent for the relief of the flood sufferers. The coat belonged to a Baltimore woman and had been put in a relief bundle accidentally by a servant.

RUBENSTEIN & CO.

Announce Their Opening for

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

APRIL 3rd, 4th and 5th

And cordially invite the ladies of Dixon and vicinity to inspect their line of the

Latest Models in Coats, Suits and Dresses

Made by the best skilled labor in New York City in fashions latest models and of the very best materials.
They will also carry a full line of ladies' furnishings.

SOUVENIRS

Will be given to each lady attending the opening. They hope to see all former patrons as well as new ones at

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"THE BANK OF THE PEOPLE"

3 Per Cent. Bond Form — Coupon Certificates of Deposit

We present for your inspection herewith "something new in finance." The 3 per cent Bond Form Coupon Certificate of Deposit is the latest addition to our service.

This certificate is the direct obligation of the Union State Bank, bears two years' interest coupons, and is **Payable on Demand Without Notice.**

In other words, the people of Lee County can now purchase a security like a United States Government Bond, with coupons attached, bearing 3 per cent interest and payable any minute the money is desired.

Furthermore when you invest in a coupon certificate your money draws interest not from the first day of the next month, but **from the day you make the deposit** and the certificate is registered in your name so that no one can get your money without your consent.

This certificate is made in the form of a beautiful bond and has interest coupons attached payable every three months. All you have to do each month is to cut off a coupon and cash it at any bank or store.

Nothing could be safer or more convenient for the busy man or woman.

This is the first time that any bank in Dixon has made such an offer to the public.

The certificates come in denominations of $500 and $1,000 and will be issued for cash or in exchange for any other high grade security without loss of interest to the investor.

—THINK OF IT—

1. The bond of a State supervised bank.
2. Payable on demand.
3. Coupon form.
4. Registered in your name.
5. 3 per cent interest commencing the day you buy the Certificate.
6. Interest payable each three months.
1. $500 and $1,000 denominations.
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Come in and see these new Certificates.

—UNION STATE BANK—
Dixon, Illinois.

$1000.00 Number

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THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE SUM OF

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Has Been Deposited With This Bank Payable to the Order of

On the delivery and surrender of this certificate properly endorsed with unmatured coupons if any.

This certificate bears interest from its date at the rate of three per Centum per annum payable quarterly, by the delivery and surrender as they become due of the coupons (payable to bearer) hereto attached.

The Principal Sum of
ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS
Is due and payable without notice at the maturity date of any coupon, or at any other time without interest from the previous coupon due date at Dixon, Illinois.

UNION STATE BANK

By .....
Cashier.

On.....19....
UNION STATE BANK
DIXON, ILLINOIS,
Will Pay to Bearer the Sum of
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Being Three Months' Interest on
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W Rollins f
Mrs Reed R F D 3
H D Sapp
Henry Tucker

Cards—

Earl Akin
Bob Bergman
Mr Bernhard R 7 Box 57
Miss Coralyn Crombie
Miss Bessie Davis Care Henry Storms
Mrs Jno Haley
Henry Hanitsh
F Haas
V H Hinckle
Mrs Jas Howell
Mrs Blanche Howell
Miss Cora Howell
Miss Olivia Mertz Care Jenks Bros
Otto Musmer
Miss Catrina Minsel
W E Omalley
Harvey Paschen
Johnnie Potts
Max Strong
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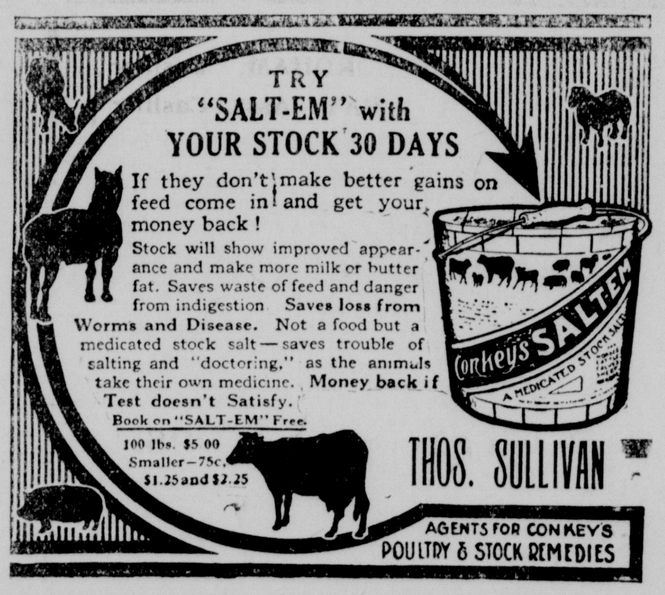
Ed. F. Cahill, Asst.

ATTEMPT TO HOLD UP

PRINCEON OPERATOR

John Lafferty, night ticket agent at the C. B. & Q. in Princeton, had a narrow escape Saturday night when a holdup fired several shots at him. At 11:30 o'clock a stranger appeared at the window and spoke to the agent who paid little attention for a few seconds. As the agent turned around and arose the holdup fired at him, several bullets from a 38-calibre revolver barely missing him. "Q" detectives came to Princeton at once, and although they worked on the case, they failed to trace the man down, who did the shooting.

Ray Rupert, electrician, is working this week at the Nachusa orphanage.



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PRESIDENT WRITES ON BIG BUSINESS

Wilson Tells Attitude Toward Monopolies—May Be Administration's Course.

REFERS TO THIRD PARTY PLAN

Executive Declares "Benevolence Never Developed a Man or a Nation" —Will Not Live Under Master, Benevolent or Otherwise.

New York, April 2.—President Woodrow Wilson makes a declarrtion of his attitude toward monopolies and indicates, what is believed by many to be the course the administration will pursue to secure a possible remedy for this condition by the terse but specific statement: "We purpose to prevent private monopoly by law" in his fourth article on the "New Freedom," which appears in the current issue of World's Work.

The article, sub-head "Benevolence or Justice," declares that Colonel Roosevelt attempted to effect a benevolent partnership between "big business and the government." The president declares that under such a partnership the result upon the people would depend entirely upon the benevolence of the contracting parties whereas the people want justice, no philanthropy.

"Benevolence never developed a man or a nation," he says. "We do not want a benevolent government. We want a free and just government.

Refers to Third Party.

President Wilson deals at length with the Roosevelt, or third party program, regarding the regulation of trusts as outlined in the platform of that party in the last presidential election.

The president says, in part:

"The new party platform legalizes monopolies. You cannot use monopolies to serve a free people. The Roosevelt platform is very long, but very tolerant. The Roosevelt doctrine admits that monopoly is inevitable.

"I absolutely protest being put into the hands of trusts. I do not want to live under a philanthropy. Shall we try to get the grip of monopoly away from our lives, or shall we not?"

The phrase "The national administration having for sixteen years been virtually under the regulation of the trusts" indicates clearly the president's ideas about the administration of his two predecessors.

Partial Text of Article.

The article, in part, is as follows:

"Our purpose is the restoration of freedom. We purpose to prevent private monopoly by law, to see to it that the methods by which monopolies have been built up are legally made impossible. We design that the limitation on private enterprise shall be removed so that the next generation of youngsters as they come along will not have to become proteges of benevolent trusts, but will be free to go about making their own lives what they will; that we shall taste again the full cup, not of charity, but of liberty, the only wine that ever refreshed and renewed the spirit of a people.

"Mr. Roosevelt's conception of government is Mr. Taft's conception, that the presidency of the United States is the presidency of a board of directors. I am willing to admit that if the people of the United States cannot get justice for themselves then it is high time that they join the third party and get it from somebody else.

"Shall we try to get the grip of monopoly away from our lives, or shall we not? Shall we withhold our hand and say monopoly is inevitable that all that we can do is to regulate it? Have we come to a time when the president of the United States or any man who wishes to be president must doff his cap in the presence of this high finance and say 'you are our inevitable master, but we will see how we can make the best of it?'

Won't Live Under Master.

"I don't care how benevolent the master is going to be I will not live under a master. That is not what America was created for. America was created in order that every man should have the same chance as every other man to exercise mastery over his own fortunes. If you will but see to it that the weak are protected I will venture a wager with you that there are some men in the United States now weak economically weak, who have brains enough to compete with these gentlemen and who will presently come into the market and put these gentlemen on their mettle. And the minute they come into the market there will be a bigger market for labor and a different wage scale for labor."

FAVORS DIRECT ELECTIONS

Tennessee for Naming U. S. Senator by People—2 More States Needed.

Nashville, Tenn., April 2.—The Tennessee senate concurred in a house resolution ratifying the federal constitutional amendment providing for the election of United States senators by popular vote. Only two more states are needed to make the amendment effective.

Flee Debts of $7,500,000.

Kuestrin, Germany, April 2.—A local banker, Gustav Puppe, suspended payment, with liabilities estimated at from $6,250,000 to $7,500,000. Puppe and his son have disappeared.

LIGHTHOUSE

Lighthouse, Mch. 31.—Chas. Pluster and family and Percy Fruin and family, spent Sunday at the Oliver Conway home.

Hundreds visited the ruins of the tornado Sunday.

Chas. Fruit and family and Godfrey Johnson and family ate dinner with Nat Johnson north of Franklin Grove.

H. L. Bennett and family spent Sunday at the Fred Gates home.

Adam Johnson and niece, Mrs Glick are staying with Charlie Henry since the tornado.

Mr. Leaman of Elgin is spending a few days on his farm.

Sem Hewitt has a lame foot caused by stepping on a rusty nail.

Mrs. Minnie Bennett returned to Dixon Monday.

BEWARE THE CARELESS MAN

Wise and Up-to-Date Grandmother Hands Out Some Good Advice to Engaged Girl.

The pretty girl was talking about her fiance. "He never seems to notice how I dress," she said, rather well pleased. "He tries to look interested, but I know from his expression that he does not recognize one gown from another, and once he told me I always look all right to him, no matter how I am dressed."

"Then don't marry him," advised a youthful grandmother of 60 almost tartly and wholly disregarding grammar. She was herself of the trim, smartly gowned variety of women who refuse to grow old. "Take my advice. If a man does not care how you look he never will provide the money for you to dress as well as you will wish to. A man ought to care how his wife is dressed. Not that it is the most important thing in life but that it has to do with the whole tone of their home. There is something wrong with a man who does not wish his wife to look her best. If your fiance is tractable I advise you to begin a course of instructing him at once. If not——" she shook her head warningly, smoothed down her slim hips, gave her satin walking suit a little flip and left for her constitutional in the park.

ST. JAMES.

St. James, Mch. 31—St. James was pretty well represented at the Sunday school convention Sunday at Nachusa.

Ed Shippert has left for Montana to take charge of his farm again.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hess entertained at dinner Sunday, Mrs. Martha Shippert and two daughters, Lillian and Ollie, and Ed Shippert.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Topper of Nachusa attended services at St James church Sunday.

Glenn Burket was in Dixon Saturday night.

George Bruner is putting up a new steel windmill replacing the one the storm blew down on his farm.

Adolph Byers has purchased two nice cows.

Mrs. Swartz and Miss Frances Swartz are visiting in Amboy.

Miss Lillian Shippert of Mt. Morris is home one a short vacation.

Harry Shippert is busy plowing and planting potatoes and sowing oats.

SUREST WAY TO END CATARRH

Go to Rowland Bros. and say "I want a HYOMEI outfit" Take it home—pour a few drops of HYOMEI from the bottle into the little hard rubber inhaler—breathe it for five minutes and note the refreshing relief—breathe it four or five times a day for a few days and Catarrh and all its symptoms will gradually disappear.

Booth's HYOMEI is balsamic air; it contains no opium, cocaine or other harmful drug and is sold on money back plan for Catarrh, Croup, Colds and Coughs. Complete outfit (includes inhaler) $1.00—extra bottles if later needed, 50c at Rowland Bros. and druggists everywhere. Simple instructions for use in every package—you can't fail. Just breathe it—no stomach dosing.

Dramatic Notes

OPERA HOUSE.

A Great Court Room Scene.

The great court room scene in the mother love drama "Madame X," which will appear at the opera house tonight, is one of the greatest and best ever staged. The mysterious Madame X, who is being tried for the murder of Laroque is defended by her own son. He knows nothing of their relationship until the finish of the act, when he learns the truth.

Then follows one of the most touching scenes ever written. Miss Laura Frankenfield will be seen as the mother, known only as "Madame X."

WOOSUNG

Woosung, April 1.—Friday evening, March 28th, the Woosung social club called again on Mr. and Mrs. Will Callahan of near Woosung for another good time. The evening was spent in dancing, the music being furnished by the Woosung orchestra. At 11 o'clock a most delicious supper was served to about eighty guests. Dancing was then resumed until a late hour, when all departed for their homes, thanking Mr. and Mrs. Callahan for their hospitality. The out-of-town guests were Miss Anna Duffy of Eaglepoint, Miss Ora Mon of Grand Detour, T. L. McMahon of Aurora, Miss Catherine O'Rourke of Rochelle, W. Hays of Stratford, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McMahon and son Francis, and Patrick and T. L. McMahon of Aurora and Miss O'Rourke of Rochelle were entertained at Sunday dinner at the B. F. Lanen home.

M. F. Manton, representing "Bought and Paid For," was here today on business with Manager Starin of the Dixon opera house.

HOT WATER

Your kitchen equipment is not complete without facilities for producing it in large quantities. If you use gas for fuel the

Lion Water Heater

Provides the way. Stands alongside the gas range, simple, efficient, durable and low priced.

Rather a better way than heating it on a coal stove in summer.

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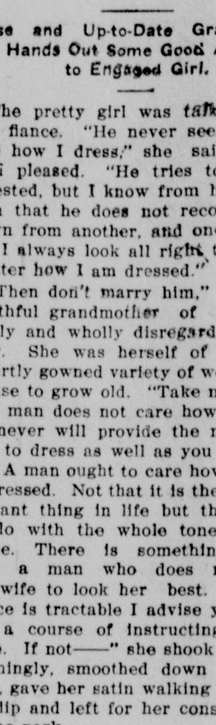
Not A Dream



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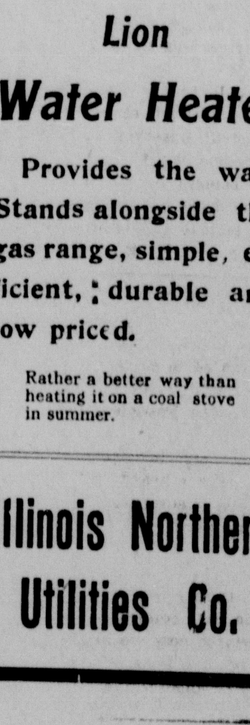
Suits, Coats, Dresses

In such variety that it would seem, everybody can be suited. By reason of our connections with the largest firms we can give you the benefit of Style, Quality and lowest price. Special new style Shirt Waists are a marked attraction this week. Our dry goods department has made an excellent showing in the new arrivals



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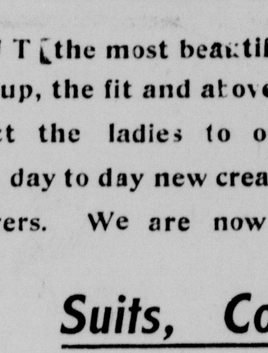

China and Glassware

Is being shown in our basement. Baby carriages, Doll carts, Velocipeds, Waggons are on Special Sale for the next 10 days. We invite your inspection.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to our extraordinary large and well selected stock of

Ladies', Misses', Men's and Children's Shoes

It is difficult to imagine that we cannot suit the most beautiful in style, quality and to be exact in price as well. There is no shoe that beats the "Imperial" for style, none that beats the "Red Cross" for comfort, neither can be beat for quality. Prices are as low as an inferior grade, are often sold for. In men's shoes the "Florsheim" is the peer of all—we have it. We cater to the children's shoe trade. We give you quality and lowest price. You can't beat these two anywheres.

EICHLER BROS. BEE HIVE
DIXON ILLINOIS

THE COMES UP SMILING

By Charles Sherman

Illustrated by Ray Walters

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SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I—The Watermelon and James, two tramps, bantering each other regarding their personal appearance, decide to clean up, acquire new clothes and let their companion, Mike, be the judge as to which is the better looking.

CHAPTER II—Watermelon goes to a barber shop, wins the contents of the cash register from the barber by a clever trick and gets a shave.

CHAPTER III—He discovers a young man bathing in a lake and steals his clothes. While sitting in an automobile he discovered standing empty by the roadside, General Crossman and his daughter, Henrietta, drive up in a car. Assuming that his car is disabled, the general proffers assistance. Watermelon hands him a card bearing the name William Hargrave Batchelor. The general recognizes the name as that of a young man who broke the cotton corner in Wall street a few days before. He invites him to dine with them.

CHAPTER IV—Watermelon is introduced to Bartlett, a big Wall street operator, and his daughter, Billy, with whom he proceeds to fall in love.

CHAPTER V—Bartlett, who has been stung by Batchelor's operations, plans to keep the supposed broker with him for a week while he works a coup in the market. He wires instructions to his broker. Watermelon decides to tear himself away from Billy and slink back into the unknown.

CHAPTER VI—While chatting with Billy, the telegraph boy tips off Bartlett's message to Watermelon.

CHAPTER VII—Watermelon decides to join Bartlett and the general in a week's auto trip.

CHAPTER VIII—Watermelon slips away and tells his hobo companions of his adventure and asks them to find Batchelor and give him the tramp clothes.

"He Hasn't the Slightest Idea Who Swiped His Clothes."

The Watermelon slowly unwound another bill and nodded. "I know, but I'm sorry for him. A few hours won't make much difference. He hasn't the slightest idea who swiped his clothes. He'll think some tramp did and that the feller is getting out of the country by crosscuts and as fast as he can. Don't you see? No one will look for me with the general and Bartlett. I'm going to have a week of fun—"

"Maybe," said James gloomily. "Hardly, if you give that bloke his clothes before you need to."

The Watermelon waved the statement aside. "We are going to leave about five," said he. "They are waiting for me, now. It will take you a bit of a walk to find the place. I put the clothes in an empty log near a pile of rocks at the foot of three tall pines, standing together about ten yards from the lake. You can't help but find it. Give him the clothes and this checkbook and fountain pen. I can't use them and you two won't get gay with them 'cause Mike's a coward, and James has too much sense."

"You're a damn fool," said James shortly.

"He's all right," argued Mike, meaning the man in the forest shades. "What can hurt him?"

"I know, but he's mighty uncomfortable. Can't sit down, maybe, and there may be flies and mosquitoes—"

"Naw," protested Mike. "He's just comfortable. If it was the style, I would have liked to have gone naked today."

"He'll have the police after youse," warned James, "as soon as he can reach the village."

"That's all right," returned the Watermelon. "Here's a ten-spot for each of you, and mind you do what I say."

"For you," said Mike, "I'd give me heart's blood."

"Where do we find this pond?" asked James.

"Come with me and I'll take you to the road that leads by it. You give me time to get to the hotel, though, before you give him his clothes."

"Trust me," said Mike, lovingly concealing the greenback in the dark dirty recesses of his rags.

They parted in the road where the Watermelon had come upon the big red touring car. Mike and James watched him until he disappeared over the top of the hill, then climbed the wall and made their way through the woods to the little mountain lake.

"We won't get the clothes," said James, "until we have had a talk with the guy and tried to get him into a reasonable frame of mind. It's just likely that he may be somewhat put out."

There was no one in sight as they made their way cautiously to the edge of the lake. The trees grew nearly down to the narrow, pebbly beach and were reflected in the quiet depths of the water. The little brook, tumbling over its miniature waterfall, with a ripple and splash, was the only sound that broke the all-pervading silence. Nothing stirred in the underbrush, neither man nor beast, and James and Mike were about to slip away as quietly as they came when a stick snapped behind them sharply and Mike wheeled.

A man was peering at them eagerly over the tops of a few bushes. His face was white and his teeth chattering. His arms, dimly discerned through the branches, were wrapped around his shivering form with fervor and he was standing gingerly on first one foot and then the other.

"Hello," said Mike facetiously. "Going in?" and he nodded casually backward to the lake.

"Been in," chattered the miserable wretch, trying to control his teeth so that he could say more.

"Oughtn't to stay in too long," advised James solicitously. "Your lips look blue."

"Bad for the heart," said Mike.

"We ain't ladies," added James with delicacy. "You might come out from them bushes."

"Some—some one stole my—my—my clothes," stammered the young man, stepping carefully forth. "Been here—here since this—this morning." He looked sharply at the shabby pair before him, with quick distrust in his bloodshot eyes and added coldly: "Some—some tramp."

"Did you see him?" asked James.

"No—no—no. But who else could have stolen them?"

"I," said Mike, drawing himself up to his five feet five and throwing back his pudgy shoulders, "I am a tramp. I trust, sir, you meant no insult to me profession?"

The stranger waved the question aside. "Get me some clothes and I'll give you some money."

"What money?" asked James.

"I will send you some. I am rich. My car is in the road. Maybe you saw it. I was coming through the woods to the hotel to get a tow up, for I was out of gasoline, when I saw the lake. It was early and I thought I would take a swim. Maybe you saw my car by the side of the road?"

"I didn't see no car," said Mike.

"Did you come by the road?"

"Yes, a narrow wood road."

"Yes, yes; that's where I left it. The damned thief has probably gone off with my car, too."

"Then he couldn't be a tramp," said James judiciously. "Tramps don't know nothing about motor-cars."

"I saw a big red car," said Mike, "down the road a bit, over the other side of the village, going south. But maybe your car wasn't red."

"Yes, yes, it was," cried the stranger. "What was the make? Could you tell?"

"A Thomas car—"

"Ah, my car. Get me something to put on and I'll make it worth your while. I'm William Hargrave Batchelor. Maybe you have read about me in yesterday's papers?" And the poor, shivering, naked wretch drew himself up proudly and smiled with much complacency.

"I," said Mike, tapping himself on his breast, "am George V., of England."

"No, no," protested the stranger. "I'm not fooling. Get me some clothes and come with me to the nearest telegraph office and I'll show you."

"How much," asked Mike, "will you give me?"

"Us," corrected James.

"How much do you want?"

"How much will you give?"

"Ten dollars."

"For a suit of clothes?" Mike's fat red face depicted his horror.

"Twenty," cried the stranger.

"Apiece?" asked James.

"Apiece," declared the unhappy youth.

"Apiece, James," said Mike, turning inquiringly to his companion.

"Make it thirty," said James, "and we may be able to help you."

"All right, thirty apiece. Get me the clothes."

"You might write us each a check," suggested James, and drew forth the pen and check-book.

"For innocence," groaned Mike, "commend me to me loving comrade, James."

The stranger's eyes glittered as he recognized his book and pen. He glanced from one ragged specimen before him to the other, from James' crafty face to Mike's soft visage, but he said nothing, merely took the pen and book.

"Your names?" he asked, opening the book and resting it against a tree for support.

"Better put 'to bearer,'" said James. "Simplicity is always the best."

The stranger wrote the checks, signed them and turned to the two watching him. "Bring me the suit," he said quietly, "and these are yours."

Mike shuffled off into the trees and James and the stranger waited in silence for his return. He came back presently and threw the suit at the stranger's feet.

"You'll notice," said he, "that this nobby spring suit in our latest style is cheap at the price. Fancy, a thing like that for only sixty dollars!"

"I see," said the stranger.

"Payable in advance," said James.

The stranger handed them each a check and thoughtfully drew on the shabby clothes of the Watermelon. It had not been long since he had worn rags of a necessity, and he hitched them up with the skill bred of familiarity. He thrust the pen and book into a pocket he had first made sure was holeless. Then he turned to the two and his eyes gleamed.

"How much for the car?" he asked.

Mike raised his hands to heaven. "The car? James, does he think we stole his car?"

"A stock broker," said James, "would suspect his own mother."

"If you want youse car," said Mike, "go to the hotel."

"Bah," snapped the stranger. "Do you think I was weaned yesterday? Be quick and tell me your price."

"I have no price," said Mike proudly, not sure where the car was.

They started through the woods to the village, the stranger leading and Mike and James following. At the edge of the village, they paused instinctively and without a word.

"Tell me where the car is and who your accomplice is," said the stranger in the short sharp tones of one born to command, "and you two can go free. If you don't tell, I'll do my best to have you arrested and sent up for grand larceny. Understand?"

"Oh, yes," said Mike, "I understand. When I was young I learned English, foolishly, as I haven't used it since."

"We don't know where your damn car is," declared James. "And we didn't steal your blooming outfit. What do you take us for, anyway?"

"Very well, then," snapped the stranger. "I see that you won't tell. Remember, I gave you your chance."

He turned and hurried down the village street. The two watched him as he stopped a pedestrian and apparently asked to be directed to the justice of the peace, then they slipped away in the woods and quietly, simultaneously, turned north, falling into a gentle lope that took them far with the minimum of effort.

"I hope the kid ain't pinched," said James, after a while.

Mike sighed and shook his head. "Grand larceny," he murmured. "That's gratitude for you."

CHAPTER IX.

On the Road.

The general never went anywhere without a well-stocked library, guide-books, instruction books, maps. All were consulted long and often, and with a childlike faith that Henrietta's sarcasm and the sign-posts had not been able to shake.

Bartlett knew of this unfortunate tendency of the general's and resolved to get rid of those books and maps and papers. With every mile indicated and nicely tabulated, every turn and landmark mentioned, it would be almost impossible to get off the beaten route, and they must avoid telegraph stations and post offices as much as possible. The success of the scheme lay in keeping Batchelor away from all touch and communication with the

"Why?" Asked Bartlett Coldly.

city. They must, if possible, get lost, and with the multitudinous books and maps they would not be able to. Therefore, they must get rid of the books and maps.

When they had separated to prepare for the trip, Bartlett returned hastily to the garage. No one was in sight except a strange chauffeur lounging in the doorway. Bartlett collected all the literature from the general's car and hastened back to the hotel. Surreptitiously, he entered an empty room near the one assigned to him and when he emerged again, his arms were burdenless and he was smiling gently.

They waited for the Watermelon on the porch, intending to have an early supper and start while it was still light. Bartlett greeted the returning youth with relief and led the way to the dining-room. He mentioned a small village some thirty miles to the north, where they could find accommodations for the night in an old farmhouse.

"Friends of mine," said he. "I go there every fall."

The general rose to get his blue book. "We will look it up," said he.

Bartlett stopped him. The town was not in the book. He knew, for he had tried to find it.

"The maps will do," said the general, who liked to locate every town visually on the maps or in the books before he undertook to motor there.

Desperate, Bartlett declared that it was not on the maps. But the general would not be daunted. They could put it on the maps themselves if they knew in which county it was, near what post office—

"We don't want to locate it," said Bartlett, growing stern and cross of a necessity.

They found the cars waiting at the steps and a small crowd to see them off and wile away the time before supper.

Bartlett said, as he knew the way, he would lead. "We need only two cars. Mr. Batchelor's can can be left until we return."

"Three cars might come in handy," protested the general, who objected to every suggestion not his own, on principle.

"Why?" asked Bartlett coldly.

"Mr. Batchelor might become offended at us and want to ride by himself," suggested Henrietta, laughing.

"Yes," agreed Billy, who, though young and charming, was sometimes lacking in that reserve that should have stamped her father's daughter. "He and dad are fighting each other now on 'change."

Henrietta flushed, the Watermelon laughed and the general looked pained at the thought of any possible lack of congeniality.

"My dear Billy," said Bartlett, "the third auto would be extremely handy for you and your trunks, at least."

Billy glanced miserably from one to the other. "Why, daddy, you told me, yesterday—"

"I have told you many things," said Bartlett, "both yesterday and the day before."

He took the general by the arm and gently but firmly thrust him into his car, getting in himself and taking the wheel. The young folk could ride in the tonneau and Alphonse follow in the general's car with the luggage.

The cars started down the hill in the first sweet flush of evening. Birds were going to bed with noisy upbraidings. A few cows at the pasture bars watched them pass with great stupid, placid eyes, jaws going slowly, rhythmically, as they waited for the milking time.

The Watermelon leaned back in the deep soft cushions of the big car and smiled a smile of calm and peace and comfort. The car ran smoothly, noiselessly, little breezes laden with the sweetness of the approaching night wandered by, on each side of him was a pretty girl. Tramping idealized! It was living idealized. And that morning, hungry, shabby, unshaved, he had been content to lie in the sweet lush grasses of a chance meadow, under a butternut tree, with the convivial James and the corpulent Mike! He crossed one well-pressed silken leg over the other and saw by the wayside, lounging in the shadows, waiting for the car to pass, the two, James and Mike—Mike fat, red-faced, dirty, his frowsy hat pulled aslant over his small, bleary eyes, shoulders humped from long habit in cold weather, toes coming out of his boot ends; James, clean shaven, but otherwise no better dressed, no cleaner, both chewing tobacco with the thoughtful rumination of the cows watching over the pasture bars at the end of the wooded lane.

Billy nudged the Watermelon to call his attention to the two weary figures by the wayside.

"Poor fellows," said Henrietta softly, lest they hear her.

The Watermelon glanced at them in lofty disgust and catching James' eye, his own flickered the fraction of an inch and he raised his hands languidly to adjust the brown silk tie at his throat. When they had passed, he turned and waved a graceful farewell. He explained to Billy as they swept on into the deepening dusk:

"You might as well encourage the poor fellows. They probably want to ride as well as I." And Henrietta fancied that possibly his father had looked thus on a Sunday, in the pulpit of a country church.

"Yes," agreed Billy. "They may be perfectly dandy fellows."

"Assuredly," laughed Henrietta. "The stout one fairly radiated truth and nobility, a manly, upright youth."

"I don't care," declared Billy warmly. "You can't always tell from appearances. You ought to know that, Henrietta. Clothes don't make the man."

"Nor his manners," laughingly retorted Henrietta.

"Sure," said the Watermelon. "Father used to say that manners didn't count any more than the good apples on the top of the box to hide the rotten ones beneath."

"I think your father was a cynic," said Henrietta sharply, into whose ears Billy had been recounting the sayings of the absent divine.

"Yes," admitted the Watermelon, "he was."

"Cynicism is a sign of failure," quoted Henrietta. "Surely your father wasn't a cynic."

"Yes, he was," declared the Watermelon, "and you didn't make that up yourself. You heard some failure say it. Father used to say, and he's right, that if a man reached forty without becoming a cynic, he was a fool and might better never have reached forty."

"Your father was a philosopher," laughed Henrietta. "I would like to have met him."

"I thought the papers said—" began Billy, in her slow, anxious way to get things right.

"Yes, they did," interrupted the Watermelon, "and they were right."

It was quite dark now. Bartlett stopped a moment while Alphonse lit the lamps, and then they went on and on, faster and faster, into the summer night. Once in a while they passed a lighted farmhouse and a dog rushed out and barked at them. Twice they whirled through small villages and the villagers, going home from church, paused to watch them pass and be swallowed up in the dark ahead.

The general had been worried for some time. They were apparently getting nowhere. He felt that he should have consulted the blue book. He was about to suggest that they stop and get the book from the rear car, when Bartlett waved toward the dark bulk of a house looming out of the night, some little way ahead.

"That's the place," said he. "We can spend the night there and get one of the best chicken breakfasts I ever ate."

The general looked at the place and rallied his sinking spirits. It appeared dark and he should say it was deserted, but Bartlett doubtless knew what he was talking about. The people probably lived in the kitchen. He was hungry and tired and the thought of hot sausages, bread and jam and milk and then a soft cool bed was nearly as good as the reality. He turned gaily to the quiet three in the tonneau.

"Wake up and hear the birds sing."

Bartlett glanced back and laughed. "Asleep, eh? We're there," he added, turning the car neatly into the open driveway. "Guess you won't refuse a good supper very strenuously."

The drive was rough and they rolled slowly up to a great dark house, standing on a slight rise of ground, a typical New England farmhouse, square and gaunt and unadorned, with a small front stoop and a long side porch. From the trees behind the house, came the dismal cry of a hoot owl, as the cars came to a rest, and an answering cry from the grove across the road.

"Ghosts," whispered the general.

"Oh, hush," pleaded Billy. "There is no need of fooling with things like that."

"This house ain't lived in," said the Watermelon, as he slipped from the car to straighten his cramped legs.

"Folks gone to bed," explained Bartlett cheerfully, since he was not the one who had gone to bed. "We will just have to rout them out."

He shut off the power and alighted from the car, pulling off his gloves. Alphonse came up in the other car and peered out at the dark, quiet, lonely house and shook his head with forebodings.

"There isn't anyone here," insisted the Watermelon, "asleep or awake."

The general climbed out. "If we had consulted the book—"

"My dear sir," interrupted Bartlett, a bit irritated, "the book could not possibly have told us that the family had moved since last fall when I spent two weeks here, hunting."

"Certainly not," laughed Henrietta, who spent a good part of her life steering with infinite care and constantly growing skill between the Scylla of her father's wrath and the Charybdis of the hurt feelings of those whom the general had offended. "This is simply one of the unforeseen misfortunes of the road."

"Besides," said Bartlett, "we don't know that the Higginses have gone!"

"Don't you see that there aren't any signs of life?" demanded the Watermelon. He had lived by his wits so long that he noticed instinctively the little things which mean so much and are generally overlooked. "If there was anyone here some window would be open on a night like this, wouldn't it?"

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Ernest P. Bicknell, director of the American Red Cross, is in charge of the Red Cross forces of nurses and physicians in the flood-stricken districts.

MESSAGE FROM HUERTA

Mexico's Provisional Predicts Peace to the Congress.

Executive Receives Letter From King George of England Recognizing His Government.

Mexico City, Mexico, April 2.—Provisional President Huerta, in his first message to the Mexican congress, read before that body here, predicted the speedy pacification of the republic and said that the relations between Mexico and all foreign nations were most friendly and even better than it had been at any time under Madero. He expressed passing regret at the revolutions in Sonora and Coahuila, and gave the cause for these as the political ambitions of several men, but predicted early restoration of order in both states.

President Huerta said that despite the severe blow to business and commerce, that the financial condition of the nation was good and that the army will soon be increased to eighty thousand men.

The message said in part:

"Pacification of the country may be considered a reality, as eighty-four rebel chiefs, commanding more than six thousand men, have submitted.

"As provisional president of the republic and as a soldier of the people, my happiest day will be when I deliver this office to the man chosen by the nation to succeed me and when I shall again take my sword, and with other members of the federal army and former revolutionaries form a wall of steel around this sanctuary of law."

President Huerta received a letter from King George of England, recognizing the provisional government.

YALE GREETS TAFT LOUDLY

Three Thousand Students With Band Welcome Former President.

New Haven, Conn., April 2.—Three thousand Yale students, headed by a band, roared a welcome to former President Taft when he arrived here from New York to take up his duties as Kent professor of law at the university. As Mr. Taft stepped from the train he was presented with a huge bouquet of violets by the marshals of the parade. The former president smiled broadly and doffed his hat to the continuous cheering of the crowd. The procession headed for the college buildings and Mr. Taft received a continuous ovation all the way.

BURKE NOW TREASURER

Former Governor of North Dakota Receives $1,426,422,051.48 2-3.

Washington, April 2.—Former Gov. John Burke of North Dakota took the oath of office as treasurer of the United States, succeeding Carmi A. Thompson, who turned over $1,426,422,051.48 2-3 to the custody of the new Democratic official. The 2-3 cent is part of a Tennessee estate bond held in the assets of the government.

SERVICES FOR GEORGE I.

Various Cities in U. S. Will Commemorate Grecian Ruler Today.

Washington, April 2.—Memorial services for the late King George of Greece were held in various cities of the United States today as the body was buried at Athens today. Charge Alexander Vouros and the staff of the Greek legation here attended the services at the Greek church in Baltimore.

Sullivan Leaves Sanitorium.

New York, April 2.—The information that "Big Tim" Sullivan has been removed from Doctor Bond's sanitarium in Yonkers to the home of his brother in Westchester village was received with joy on the East side.

ASSERTS MORGAN HAD A CANCER

Embalmer's Aid in Rome Says Financier Had Carcenoma of Stomach.

SON GETS DETAILS OF DEATH

Will Be Buried in Hartford, Conn.—Estimates in Wall Street Placed Banker's Wealth at $200,000,000 Plus Art Collection.

Rome, April 2.—It is reported that the body of J. Pierpont Morgan was sent to Naples on a special train shortly before midnight. The body, it is reported, was taken secretly from the Grand hotel, where the financier died.

Rome, Italy, April 2.—Doctors have made a post mortem examination of J. Pierpont Morgan's body, but the result has not been made public. It was announced by one of the attendants of the Italian embalmer, Joseph Funari, that the medical men found that the financier was afflicted with cancer of the stomach. This had not been suspected by the physicians, who diagnosed the trouble as exhaustion of the brain, while as a matter of fact the extreme weakness and other symptoms of the illness resulted from the cancer.

This explains why Mr. Morgan was unable to assimilate artificial nourishment and why his temperature rose to 105 degrees before he died.

Allan Polaschi, a student in the American academy here, took a plaster cast of Mr. Morgan's face shortly after his death.

Gives Details of Morgan's Death.

New York, April 2.—J. P. Morgan, Jr., now head of the great house of Morgan, received a long cablegram from his brother-in-law, Herbert L. Satterlee, giving a detailed description of the scenes which attended the death in Rome of his father. The cablegram was in code and several hours were required to translate it. The day before Mr. Morgan had received a lengthy cablegram from the Italian physician who was among the scientists who strove desperately to save the financier's life. The physician's communication dealt exclusively with the causes of death, explaining in detail what had been done in vain to check the ravages of the malady.

All Information Refused.

Although repeated applications were made for full copies or abstracts of one or both these cablegrams, neither the members of the Morgan household nor any of the banking partners of the late financier would consent to reveal any of the contents of either. As previously announced it has been virtually arranged to have the funeral ceremonies conducted at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, which tops Morningside Heights, and to the construction of which Mr. Morgan had contributed so lavishly. Bishop Greer will have charge of the ceremonies in the cathedral. It is not yet known whether the funeral will be in New York or in the old Morgan family lot at Hartford, Conn.

Late in the afternoon J. P. Morgan, Jr., and his wife took a ride through Central park. Mr. Morgan merely shook his head in refusal when the scores of reporters in front of his residence asked him if he cared to say anything for publication or if it were his intention to give out any sort of statement later.

Conjecture as to Fortune.

Conjecture now is rife in Wall street as to the size of the estate left by the deceased. No light was thrown on this question from any source. Estimates vary from fifty to two hundred millions outside of the value of the great art collection assembled in this country and in Europe. No estimate of this runs lower than seventy-five millions

U. S. TO TAKE ACTION

American Woman Ill Treated in a London Prison.

Charged That Miss Zelie Emerson Did Not Receive Fair Trial in English Court.

Washington, April 2.—The United States government will take official action on the charge that Zelie Emerson, the American suffragette, failed to receive a fair trial in the English courts and is being inhumanely treated by the officials of the London prison in which she is incarcerated.

President Wilson held a long conference with Secretary Bryan during which the charges were discussed. After the conference Secretary Bryan returned immediately to the state department and cabled the American embassy in London to rush the facts in connection with the case.

Mexican Battle Near.

Naco, Ariz., April 2.—General Obregon, with 650 state troops, left Cananea to attack General Ojedo, who, with 400 federals, holds Naco, Sonora.

Worcester (Mass.) Editor Dead.

Worcester, Mass., April 2.—Peter A. Conlin, editor and publisher of the Worcester Evening Post, died here, aged fifty-five years.

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Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. :Daily. *Daily except Sunday

South Bound.

:123 Express	11:15 a. m.
*131 Clinton Exp	5:09 p. m.
*191 Amboy Frt.	8:50 a. m.

North Bound.

*132 Ft. Dodge Exp.	9:50 a. m.
124 Local Mail Daily	5:30 p. m.
*192 Freeport Frt.	12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:23 a. m.	6:35 a. m.
24	6:37 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
28	7:22 a. m.	10:15 a. m.
18	8:12 a. m.	11:20 a. m.
14	11:29 a. m.	2:00 p. m.
20	11:15 a. m.	2:50 p. m.
4	4:07 p. m. d'ly ex Sun	7:25 p. m.
100	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
12	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:20 a. m.
99	7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13	10:15 a. m.	12:53 p. m
19	12:15 p. m.	3:34 p. m
27	4:35 p. m.	7:26 p. m.
*11	6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
25	6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
17	8:30 p. m.	10:58 p. m.
7	10:16 p. m.	12:36 a. m.
3	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.
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Butter	31	36
Lard	11	15
Oats	27@29	
Potatoes	30	50
Chickens	17	20
Ducks	17	20
Eggs	15	19
Turkeys	18	22

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Chicago, Apr. 2, 1913.

Wheat				
May	90¾	91⅛	90½	91
July	89⅞	90⅜	89⅞	90¼
Sept	89¾	89⅞	89⅝	89⅞
Corn--				
May	54	54⅜	53⅞	54¼
July	55	55½S	55	55½
Sept	56⅛	56½	56	56⅜
Oats —				
May	34⅜	34¾	34⅜	34¾
July	34	34¼	33⅞	34¼
Sept	34⅛	34⅜	34	34¼
ork				
May	2052	2057	2045	2052
July	2035	2037	2030	2037
Lard				
May	1112	1115	1110	1112
July	1092	1100	1092	1097
s				
May	1135	1137	1130	1137
July	1095	1097	1090	109[illegible]

Hogs opne 5c lower than yesterday's average.

Left over—4700.

Mixed—890@942 1-2.

Good—910@935.

Rough—885@900.

Light—910@962 1-2.

Cattle steady to strong. Sheep steady.

Receipts today—

Hogs—30,000.

Cattle—14,000.

Sheep—17,000.

Hogs close about 10c lower than yesterday morning.

Estimated tomorrow—27,000.

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Dixon, Apr. 2, 1913.

Wheat: Good decreases in both domestic and world's visible supplies, a somewhat bullish summary from Broomhall on European conditions, reports of Hessian fly in Kansas, the good clearance since Monday and a little improvement in the cash demand heiped those who are holding wheat. The advance under the circumstances is rather small at about 3-8c Long wheat appeared to be on sale whenever the price reached 91 or better for May delivery. While it may take some time to develop the strength of the situation, we believe that a gradually hardening market wil lbe witnessed.

Corn: Improvement in cash demand and continuation of light receipts was responsible for advance today after there was buying early that looked like taking off nedges on cash corn. Corn in transit to the east appears to be well cleaned up and buyers more willing to take on corn to be shipped at the opening of navigation. Clearances were liberal and primary receipts less than shipts. Decreases in visible was about four times as great as last year for same week and we have probably reached high-water mark in Chicago stocks which is 9,833,000 which includes 444,000 bus afloat. Before the end of the week it is probable over 1,000,000 bus will be put afloat for shipt before opening of navigation.

Oats: A moderate advance in oats is in line with that in wheat, range being about 3-8. Improvement in the cash markets are over-bidding us on coarse grains.

Provisions: There was a dull market with prices practically unchanged. Receipts of hogs are larger than a year ago at western points. There appears to be no fresh incentive for advance, even the prices of product are below parity with the price of live hogs.

Cash grain prices today were 1-2 higher for corn and 1-4 to 1-2 higher for oats.

Liverpoor cables closed 1-4 higher for wheat and 1-4 to 3-8 higher for corn.

Receipts at Chicago were 37 wheat 166 corn and 178 oats.

Weekly visible wheat decreased 1,490,000 bus, corn decreased 1,116,000 bus and oats increased 192,000 bus.

Total visible wheat this week 58,976,000 bus, last week 60,463,000 bus, last year 51,042,000 bus. Corn 21,494,000 22,660,000, 15,914000. Oats 13,115,000, 12,923,000, 13,429,000.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow, wheat 43 cars corn 186 cars and oats 153 cars.

FOR THOSE ABOUT TO MOVE

These Few Little Hints May or May Not Prove to Have a Practical Value.

Never order the moving van to be at your door before 7:00 a. m. It annoys father to have his bed carried into the street while he is still using it.

In packing up always stow away first father's razor, shaving brush and mug, change of linen and fancy vests. Bury them at the bottom of the largest packing case beneath the books and the bed quilts. This will cause father to go without shaving for a week, and the new neighbors will take him for one of the regular moving van men.

Be sure to have your best pieces of furniture taken out of the van first and into the house last. For by your furniture are you judged. However, if you have no best furniture, or if your rent is overdue, move at night.

Be sure to tell your husband where you are moving to. This saves trouble and annoyance. Many a man has left home in the morning only to discover when he returned at night that his wife had moved during the day without leaving her change of address. Before home can be a source of joy and comfort to him, a man must know where it is.

After the moving van men start to carry a heavily loaded bureau up the stairs be on hand to warn them to be careful of the walls. This will annoy the men, and you will discover how fluent is their speech; also how profane.

Remember that the landlord owns the window screens, shades and gas fixtures.

The day before, the very day, and for a week after moving cold boiled ham is an excellent substitute for food. It is easy to serve. You don't even have to add a little hot water.—Detroit Free Press.

BRAND NOT IN THE MARKET

Mrs. Newlywed Had Done Her Best, but Black Coffee Was a Thing Unattainable.

After the honeymoon came the cozy flat, Young Mr. Benedict was mighty proud of his wife, even if she was from the country, and eager to show her to his cronies.

"Dulcinia, dear," he said one morning, "I want to bring dear old Tom up for dinner and good old Dick and nice old Harry. Want 'em to see you and taste your cookery. I've told them all about your dishes. There's just one special thing I don't want you to forget. It's the black coffee to wind up with. Tom's particularly fond of good black coffee, and for that matter so am I."

Promptly at 6 came Mr. Benedict and cronies three. Mr. B. showed his guests into the parlor, while he made hasty tracks for the gas range neighborhood and kissed the cook again, privately.

"Well, how about everything, little woman. Got all the stuff together?"

"Ye—yes, dear," replied small Mrs. B. with just a shade of reservation in her voice. "I've got the crown of chops and the peas and a salad—oh, a beeeautiful salad—and I've baked some little biscuits! There's only one thing I simply couldn't get (I do hope you aren't too disappointed), for I went to every store in the neighborhood. It's black coffee, dear. I hunted and hunted, truly. Not a single shop has anything but brown!"

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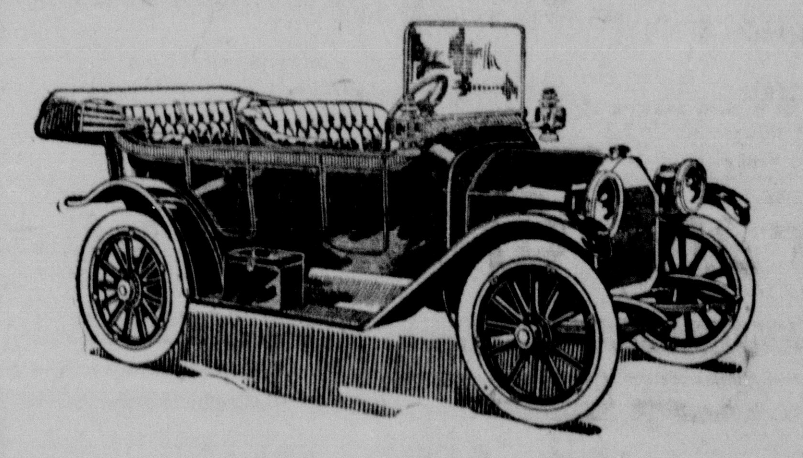

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MAKING SURE THING OF IT

Now That Money Is Scarce, the New York Gamblers Are Taking No Chances.

Real money is becoming criminally scarce with the gambling fraternity here, says the New York Press. The stopping of racing cut off one source of income, and the recent exposures of the crooked games which are being operated, broadly speaking, in every New York gambling house have also lessened the boob crop. A hundred dollar bill, flashed near the corner of Broadway and 43rd street, would probably cause a dangerous stampede. The old-timers are resorting to every possible means to get in the money.

"I got a sucker," said one of the veterans to another the other day. "He used to know me when I was city clerk of Jones Crossings, and he has plenty of confidence in me. I'll get him into a three-handed game, work in a cold deck, and we'll take his crop."

The other old-timer objected that both men lacked capital. "We got our 'fronts,' but it will never do to drop them," said he. Without diamonds and good clothes a professional gambler is in a bad way. But the proposer of the sucker harvest was insistent.

"This guy'll tumble for good money," said he. "Now, you'n' me can get four or five hundred dollars on our ice. That's enough for working capital. We'll work along, and when I get a good chance I'll send in the cold hand. I'll deal you four kings and give him four queens, and he'll bet his head off."

"He's to have four queens, hey?" said the other. "And me four kings? All right, I'll go you. But I'm going to go through that deck first and take all the aces out."

NOT OVERCOME BY SORROW

Young Man's Novel Test of Sweetheart's Affection Satisfied Him on One Point.

Alphonse Marron of Paris, a young man of independent means, has found a novel way of testing his fiancee's affection, with the result that the engagement is now broken off.

He called on the girl, Mlle. Suzanne Roix, and after a few minutes' conversation, during which he affected great mental depression, he asked her for a drink of water. As he took the glass from her hand he produced a tiny phial from his pocket, and, emptying the contents into the water, drank it off before she could hinder him. His face then contracted and he sank a helpless mass on the floor. He had only time to beg his sweetheart's forgiveness before he expired, as she thought.

Unfortunately for Suzanne, Alphonse was not even unconscious, and he was able to watch the effect on her of his own death. Without the slightest show of sorrow she hastened to the telephone and rang up the police station to say that a suicide had been committed in her apartments, and begging that the body might be removed as soon as possible.

This was too much for Alphonse, who promptly resurrected himself and left the house, after telling his former sweetheart what he thought of her.

By His Own Confession.

When Joseph F. Johnson arrived in Washington as a member of the United States senate from the glorious and gallant State of Alabama, says The Popular Magazine, Senator Burrows, of Michigan, took a great fancy to him. One day in the cloak-room Burrows turned to another senator and said:

"DuPont, stand up. I want you to meet Johnston, of Alabama."

The man from Delaware rose to his feet.

"DuPont," said Johnston, taking the proffered hand, "I believe you're the infernal Yankee who shot me at Cedar Creek."

"Well, well!" commented the Delaware senator, somewhat puzzled. "What makes you think so?"

"I see by the two pages of your biography in the Congressional Directory," explained Johnston, "that you commanded practically every regiment in the Union Army during the Civil war. Some infernal Yankee shot me, and I think it was you."

Remarkable Tumble.

The Yankee tourist was in great form. His tales of the terrible scenes he had witnessed raised his hearers' hair.

Then the quiet little Englishman spoke.

"Saw a man once," he said slowly, "fall off the top windowsill in a building 20 stories high. Never hurt him a bit—just annoyed, that was all."

"Nonsense!" they cried and would have jeered him to scorn.

"Fact!" said the little man. "Up there he was, cleaning the window, and he fell right off."

"That's rot!" exclaimed the man from the states. "Tell me how he did it!"

"Well, you see," drawled the quiet one, "it was rather lucky for him—but he happened to fall inside!"—London Answers.

Her Anxiety.

"Could you wait on me before the others?" asked the woman in the drug store. "I am in a great hurry." The drug clerk complied and filled her prescription immediately. "Thank you so much," she said. "I am afraid that Fido will awake before I return and miss me."

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George Clark has gone to DeWitt, Ia., for a few weeks.

Mr. Kruesi is in Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Yontz, who has been at the hospital taking treatment for some time, was removed to her home Monday and was able to be out yesterday.

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